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DYNAMITERS ARE FOUND GUILTY

THIRTY EIGHT MEN MUST PAY THE PENALTY

(By United Press.)

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 28---Daniel Buckley, of Davenport, Iowa, and Herman Seiffert, of Milwaukee were declared not guilty and freed and the 38 other defendants in the dynamite conspiracy trial were found guilty on 52 counts of conspiracy and unlawfully transportating dynamite in a verdict rendered by the jury at 9:50 o'clock this morning.

The jury brought in a general verdict which took but one minute to read.

The defendants sat grim and set. Watemeister, of Detroit, cried like a baby when the verdict was read. The wife of Frank J. Painter, of Omaha, was led fainting from the room.

Judge Anderson thanked the jury profusely for "their good and faithful work" and dismissed them and court was adjourned at 10 o'clock.

As soon as the verdict was read more than half a hundred deputies surrounded the defendants in double rows.

W. N. Harding, an attorney for the defendants, attempted to address the court but was told that nothing was to be said. The jurors departed immediately. After the court room had been cleared of spectators the defendants one by one were called and the 38 of them hurried away to the Marion county jail, each man in charge of a deputy marshal. Wives and relatives stood about in the corridors and wept, some silently, some hysterically. The verdict makes a jagged hole in the international iron workers' union because it put their principal officers, including Frank M. Ryan, president in prison, John T. Butler, of Buffalo, first vice president; Philip Cooley of New Orleans, and Mike Young of Boston, members of the executive board, were among those convicted.

It was believed that Judge Anderson on Monday will hear the appeals he refused today. After the verdict Frank M. Ryan said:

"This will not cripple the union. The work will go on just the same under other officers, in case a nappeal in this case is unavailing from the verdict."

The penally for the crime of which the men were convicted is a fine and imprisonment from one to thirty-nine years.

In a procession that reached two city squares and behind thousands who lined the entire distance of a quarter of a mile the prisoners, handcuffed, marched to the jail while newsboys tried to sell them papers or scoffed at them.

The defendants, faces flushed, eyes to the front, paid no attention to the spectators.

It is believed, but not known, that the court will let some of the men off with a fine, some with minor sentences, while possibly

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BEARING FRUIT

Governor J. M. Cox Named His Staff

(By United Press.)

Dayton, O., Dec., 28—Governor-elect James M. Cox this afternoon announced his military staff. The members are Major R. L. Hubler, of the Third Infantry; Lieutenant Commander J. F. Converse, Ohio naval militia; Major John C. Derby, medical corps attached to the Fifth Infantry; Capt. R. H. Hastings, Eighth Infantry; Capt. Sam A. Williams, of Portsmouth, Seventh Infantry; Capt. W. P. Whitlock, First Infantry; Capt. John M. Pattison, the ordinance department; Second Lieutenant H. E. Eustic of Troops C, the first squadron of cavalry, and Second Lieutenant J. E. Lawler of the Fourth Infantry.

FRED MERKLE WAS SUED

(By Associated Press.)

Toledo, O., Dec. 28.—Alleging that Fred C. Merkle, first baseman of the New York Giants, knocked out several of his teeth in a saloon brawl, Peter Jarrett, bartender, today filed suit for $5,000 damages in the Lucas county courts.

OLDEST WOMAN DEAD

Champaign, Ill., Dec., 28—Mrs. Martha Dillivan, aged 109, the oldest woman in this county, died here today. She was born in Dayton, Ohio, and was a member of a prominent family.

MINISTERS GOING AFTER MAYOR HUNT

(By Associated Press.)

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 28.—Whether Mayor Henry C. Hunt will be liable to removal from office by Governor Harmon if the midnight saloon lid is tilted until 2:00 a. m. on New Year's day was discussed today by the law and order committee of the Evangelical Alliance in a conference with the county prosecutor's office. The ministers also sought information regarding whether Safety Director Cash, who is an attorney and also an officer of the court, is not liable to disbarrment if the saloons are not forced to close under the city ordinances at 12 o'clock.

COURT MARTIAL

(By United Press.)

Washington, Dec., 28—Corporal Timbrook Collins of the 119th company of coast artillery who shot and killed E. A. Larrson of the 17th company during an argument while hunting on the Ft. Washington reservation, is facing a court martial with a military execution. The shooting took place on Christmas day. Collins claims he was intoxicated.

DETECTIVES ARE SCORED BY MAYOR

(By United Press.)

Dayton, O., Dec. 28.—Mayor L. C. Crickmore, of Germantown, this county, today announced that hereafter in his court when dry detectives appear to prosecute liquor law violators they must give evidence of being inwardly dry.

Late yesterday he dismissed a case against George Curl for violating the midnight closing ordinance after he learned that detectives had been allowed $17.45 with which to purchase drinks and obtain evidence against him.

DRIVEN FROM WARM BEDS BY FLAMES

(By United Press.)

Boston, Mass., Dec. 28.—One hundred and fifty men, women and children, clad only in their night clothes, fled to the ice covered streets down extension ladders and fire escapes today when fire was discovered in Eliot Hall, a large apartment house in the exclusive district here. Many who were overcome by the intense cold had to be carried down the ladders by firemen. No one was injured and the fire loss was small.

WOMAN SAID TO BE INSANE

(By United Press.)

Macon, Ga., Dec. 28.—Relatives of Mrs. James King, 25, widow of the wealthy farmer whom she confessed she had slain in order to get $2,000 life insurance, to marry Nicholas Wilburn, 25, who shot King to death, are preparing to have Mrs. King declared insane.

They say that since the birth of her last child, which was her sixth, she has been irrational and that Wilburn worked upon her weakened mentality. The woman has been a church leader.

PRISON DEMON MADE ESCAPE, RECAPTURED

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Dec., 28—J. D. Kramer, better known as Otis Hurley, a one time prison demon, escaped from the pen today but was caught after two hours' liberty. Hurley was shot in the foot on Feb. 9, 1912 and used crutches. He secured a rope and tied a large iron hook on the end and knotted the rope. With this he scaled the wall near where Guard H. G. Matthews sat in a tower. He is serving a sentence for burglary from Franklin county. He secured his title of demon when he attacked Miss Daisy Sprague, a clerk in the prison, with whom he had became infatuated.

EDUCATOR TAKEN ILL

(By United Press.)

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 28.—Stricken with appendicitis while on a Pennsylvania train enroute here from Harrisburg, S. L. Haefer, superintendent of the schools of Pittsburg, was removed to the hospital today in a serious condition.

ANDREWS AND HUFFMAN MUGGED AND NUMBERED, WORK WAS ASSIGNED

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Dec. 28.—Convicts No. 41,703 and No. 41,704 ate their first meal behind the walls of the Ohio penitentiary this morning. It consisted of coffee, bread and jelly. After that they were "mugged" for the rogue's gallery and then put through Bertillion measurements. Later regulation prison garb was assigned to them.

They did no regular work today, but on Monday one will become clerk in the prison chaplain's office and the other a clerk in the prison clothes shop.

No. 41,703 was until 5:20 o'clock last night Senator Isaac E. Huffman of Oxford, and No. 41,704 was Senator L. R. Andrews of Ironton. Both were convicted of accepting bribe money and sentenced to three years and nine months, respectively. They spent their first night in the pen in the sleeping quarters at the prison hospital, where Rodney J. Diegle, convicted as a go-between, also sleeps. The two prisoners will not occupy cells.

At his own request Senator Huffman's mustache was removed after he had been "measured."

TRIES TO SAVE MOTHER, GIRL IS DYING

(By United Press.)

Mt. Holy, N. J., Dec. 28.—Mary Lowther, 14, is dying of pneumonia and her mother, whom she tried to save, is dead, having frozen to death in the snow. The girl did save a younger sister. The three started last Tuesday to walk five miles home through the blinding snow storm. The mother sank down exhausted. The girl gave her mother her heavy coat and trudged on for help, with her sister, finally sinking exhausted where they were found the next day. The mother was dead when found. The girl does not know her mother is dead.

PEACE CONFERENCE TO MEET AGAIN MONDAY

(By Associated Press.)

London, Eng., Dec. 28.—The peace envoys representing the Balkan allies and the Turkish envoys today decided to further postpone their meeting until Monday. The delegates of the Bulgarians, Greece, Montenegrins, Servians and Turkey gathered at St. James Palace at 11 o'clock. It was the turn of the Turks to preside and Reschid Pasha took the chair. The Balkan allies found the Turkish demands quite unacceptable and after an hour and a half's discussion, and as no further progress was made, the Turkish envoys said they must again communicate with their government at Constantinople.

ST. CAR JUMPS BRIDGE

Cincinnati, D., Dec., 28—Two men were probably fatally injured while seven others sustained more or less serious injuries last night when a street car jumped the track on the central bridge which spans the Ohio river here and were precipitated into a vacant lot on the Ohio side after a drop of forty feet. An accident similar in almost all respects to the one last night happened about a year ago at the same place and at that time one man was killed.

THREW EGGS AT MAUDE

(By United Press.)

Westville, O., Dec., 28—A general fight in which eggs were thrown copped off a popularity contest conducted here by a medicine show. It was announced at the close of the contest last night that Miss Maud Jones had triumphed in the contest over Miss Maud Knotts. When the triumphant, Miss Jones emerged from the hall with her prize, a $20 gold watch, the egg throwing began. Her father has appealed to a justice of the peace for warrants for the egg throwers.

LAWYERS ARE DISBARRED BY COURT

(By Associated Press.)

Toledo, O., Dec., 28—Russell L. Armstrong, son of Judge S. A. Armstrong of Allen county, was permanently disbarred today by the Lucas county courts.

He was charged with threatening to divulge the name of a man charged with murder unless his wife paid him money.

Morris Neff, of Cleveland, was suspended for six months for conspiring to send a juror to the home of Prosecutor Cline of Cuyahoga county in an effort to discredit a verdict of a jury.

DIED FROM INJURIES

(By Associated Press.)

Canton, O., Dec. 28.—Clement Flickenger, captain of the Canton High basketball team, who was injured in a game Tuesday night, died this morning.

Don't you folks think just because o' this little spell o' sunshine today that winter is over. I ain't got really started yet. Sort o' holdin' off till after holidays.

"Never do today what you can put off till tomorrow" won't work every place but it's th' real thing in th' weather business. Here's for Sunday:

Ohio—Fair tonight and Sunday. Warmer Sunday.

Kentucky—Fair tonight and Sunday; warmer Sunday.

THE DYNAMITERS TRIAL IN BRIEF

October 1, 1911, government authorities, exactly one year after the Los Angeles "Times" explosion, for first time, consider possibility of federal prosecution for illegal transportation of explosives.

February 6, 1912, federal grand jury returns indictments against 54 labor union officials.

February 14, most of the defendants scattered over the country arrested within a few hours by a telegraphic signal.

October 1, trial begins exactly two years after Los Angeles explosion, fifty defendants present; three discharged by government; Ortie E. McManigal pleads guilty, having 46 for trial.

October 3, jury secured, composed mostly of farmers; government opens its case.

October 5, Herbert S. Hockin accused by district attorney with having been a spy within the ranks of the dynamiters, and with having given information to the prosecution.

October 7, Edward Clark, Cincinnati, pleads guilty to having blown up a bridge at Dayton, O., and accuses Hockin of having furnished the dynamite; 45 defendants remain for trial.

November 9, McManigal begins relating his confession on the witness stand; implicates iron workers' union officials as having pointed out jobs for him to blow up; names Hockin as starting him in the business.

November 22, Hockin's bond increased, in default of which he is committed to jail, after more testimony that he was employed by detectives while an official of the union; court denounces Hockin as "not to be trusted by any one, day or night"; Miss Mary Field, a writer, denounced by the district attorney as an "anarchist" for criticisms published in union magazine; Olaf A. Tveitmoe, San Francisco, a defendant, also denounced by district attorney for publishing "anarchistic" criticisms of the trial.

December 2, government concludes its case, after presenting 549 witnesses, whose testimony covers 25,000 pages; four more defendants discharged by the government, leaving 41 for trial; defense begins. Hockin resigns as secretary-treasurer of the iron workers' union.

December 26, guilty verdicts returned.

Chief Prosecutor, United States District Attorney Charles W. Miller.

Chief counsel for the defense, United States Senator John W. Kern and William N. Harding.

Federal judge who conducted trial, Albert B. Anderson.

Labor union of which most of the defendants were members, International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers.

Charges: Illegally transporting dynamite and nitroglycerine on passenger trains, or conspiracy to do the same.

THE DEFENDANTS

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec., 28—The men found guilty by the jury in the dynamite cases were:

Geo. Anderson, Cleveland.
John H. Barry, St. Louis.
Ernest G. W. Basey, Cincinnati.
Wm. Bernhardt, Cincinnati.
Chas. Beum, Minneapolis.
W. Bert Brown, Kansas City.
John T. Butler, Buffalo.
W. A. Clancey, San Francisco.
Patrick A. Colley, New Orleans.
James Crooney, Chicago.
James Coughlin, Chicago.
M. J. Cunnane, Philadelphia.
Patrick F. Farrell, New York.
M. J. Hannon, Scranton, Pa.
Frank J. Higgins, Springfield, Mass.
Herbert S. Hockin, Detroit.
R. R. Houlihan, Chicago.
Hiram R. Kline, Muncie, Ind.
H. W. Legleitner, Pittsburg.
W. J. McCain, Omaha.
Fred W. Mooney, Duluth, Minn.
Paul Morris, St. Louis.
J. E. Munsey, Salt Lake City.
Frank J. Murphy, Detroit.
Frank J. Painter, Omaha.
M. L. Pennell, Springfield, Ill.
E. E. Phillips, Syracuse, N. Y.
James E. Ray, Peoria, Ill.
W. E. Reddin, Milwaukee.
Frank M. Ryan, Indianapolis.
Fred J. Shireman, Indianapolis.
W. F. Shupe, Cincinnati.
Peter J. Smith, Cleveland.
Edw. Smythe, Peoria, Ill.
Olaf Tveitmoe, San Francisco.
C. E. Wachmeister, Detroit.
Frank C. Webb, New York.
Michael J. Young, Boston.

The two acquitted were Daniel Buckley, Davenport, Iowa, and H. C. Seiffert, of Milwaukee.

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Want Pardon For "Life Term" Man

Minor Hizer, a well known young school teacher of Camp Creek, Pike county, was in town Saturday, circulating a petition, directed to the Governor of California, urging that executive clemency be granted Thomas J. Jordan, a Scioto countyman, now confined in the state prison at San Quetin, under life sentence, on a charge of murder.

Jordan, who is a son of John Jordan, a farmer living near Duke Post Office, in 1906, at the age of 24, enlisted in the army and was assigned to Ft. Baker, California. Some months later, when on a furlough with a number of comrades in San Francisco, the soldiers became intoxicated and got mixed up in a clash with the police. During the fight one of the patrolmen was shot and instantly killed. Jordan was accused of firing the fatal shot and when tried was found guilty and sentenced to prison for life. It is said that he was convicted solely on the circumstances surrounding the tragedy, as several shots were fired at the officers by his companions.

Now that Jordan has been in prison a little more than five years, his relatives and numerous friends in this section have interested themselves in an effort to secure his release. The petitions ar being freely signed and it is the intention to employ an attorney to carry the petition to California and present it to the executive.

Jordan had always borne a good reputation before this unfortunate affair occurred and his friends here are very solicitous in lending their aid to secure his freedom.

Must Go To Pen

The setting aside of a suspended sentence by Judge Blair in the case of Jesse Lewis, colored, means that the prisoner will go to the penitentiary for a stay of two years.

Lewis was indicted some weeks ago on a charge of shoting to kill a colored woman named Martha Washington. There appeared to be some mitigating circumstances in the case and the court allowed Lewis to go pending his good behavior. The other day Lewis went on the warpath and smashed a man in to face with a beer glass. He was then hauled in by the police and turned over to Judge Blair, who, after hearing the testimony of Mary Jane Taylor, who has been living with Lewis on Sixteenth street, and the prisoner's wife, Mayme Lewis, the court promptly set aside the suspended sentence. The Taylor woman was ordered by the court to turn over to the wife all of Lewis' household goods and affairs. Mrs. Lewis has been living on Offnere street since being driven from home by Lewis some months ago.

Robert Singer, of Charleston, W. Va., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. J. C. Singer, of 730 Eighth street.

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Steel Stuck In His Flesh

Charles Mullins, a B. & O. S.-W. section hand, was painfully hurt, Friday, whileat work, when in driving spikes a piece of steel flew from the sledge hammer and penetrated the thigh. The missle struck with such force that it indented the flesh for nearly two inches and barely missed a mortal artery.

With considerable difficulty Dr. F. M. Stewart, who was called to attend the injured man, succeeded in removing the piece of steel. The injury, though not serious, will prevent Mr. Mulins from resuming his duties for several days.

Claims To Be Robbed

A man who claims his home as Columbus reported to the police Friday that he had been robbed of $14 while attending the basket ball game Thursday night at the Club. The money, when taken, according to the fellow's story, was in his coat which was left downstairs while witnessing the game upstairs. The police have no clue to the thief.

Goes Through N. & W. Bridge

Becoming detached from a string of cars that was being sidetracked, an N. & W. box car, Saturday morning, crashed through the draw bridge at Ivordale, a suburb of Cincinnati, and toppled over into the canal. The bridge was badly damaged and will be out of commission several days. The B. & O. wrecking crew was called out to re-rail the box car. W. H. Payne, formerly of this city, is general yardmaster of the N. & W. yards in the vicinity of Cincinnati.

Wagon Was Smashed

Fred Becker, a Brouse's Run farmer, while returning home from the city, drove his horse and wagon against a pile of sand at the Old Red bridge, Friday evening, upsetting and smashing the wagon. He and his companion, Will Wolfram, a shoeworker, escaped injury by jumping. The horse also escaped unhurt.

Transoms For Church

The trustees of St. Mary's church Friday night placed an order with William P. Zeltner, representative of G. C. Riordan & Co. of Cincinnati for some art glass transoms. They are to be placed over the fine new doors just installed at the church.

A Fine Gift.

Rev. T. H. McAfee was presented with a new $90 overcoat for Christmas by the Men's Bible Class of First Baptist church.

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OBITUARY

Richard H. Wells.

Richard H. Wells, a well-known farmer and respected citizen of Stockdale, passed away at that place Friday evening, December 27. Infirmities of old age caused his death ,he having been in poor health for months. Mr. Wells was a veteran of the Civil war, after which he followed his trade as a stone mason and later took up farming and fruit growing at Stockdale.

Mr. Wells was Born August 30, 1839, and died at the age of 82. He had spent the most of his life in Pike county. He was married to Mary Ann Sampson, to whom there were born seven children, three of which are now surviving: Mrs. S. J. Dawson, of Stockdale; Mrs. N. E. Gordon, of Portsmouth, and Mrs. M. A. Brown, Pomona, Cal. Mr. Wells was a member of the 53rd O. V. I., Co. F. serving the full time.

"When the comrades have departed
And the veterans are no more:
When the bugle call has sounded
On that everlasting shore;
When the weary march is ended;
When the camp-fire slumbers long,
Who will tell the world the story
When all the 'Boys' are gone."

Bradford.

Christmas was indeed a sad day for Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bradford, of the Chillicothe pike, they being called upon to part with their infant son, Eugene Bradford, five weeks old, the third child to pass across the Great Divide within three years.

Eugene was a bright child and was ill but a few hours, his death beng due to inanition. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved parents. The funeral was held on Thursday.

Sidney Holmes.

Death claimed a pioneer citizen of Scioto county early Friday night when Sidney Holmes passed to his last reward at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary Ann Preston, at Hayport, with whom he had made his home for the past few years.

Mr. Holmes was born in Buffalo, N. Y., in 1828, consequently he had reached the ripe old age of 85 years. His death was caused by a complication, together with infirmities incident to age.

His mother died when he was an infant, and along with his sister, when but three years old, was brought to Portsmouth by their father. He spent the greater part of his life in this city, following the occupation of a tinner for some years and was later a bookkeeper.

In 1851 he was married in this city to Harriet Watkins, who died a score years ago. Two children survive him: William Holmes, of Louisville, Ky., and Mrs. Anna Lehman, both of whom were at the father's bedside when he died.

Mr. Holmes was a splendid citizen and his many friends in this city will learn of his death with sincere regret. He was a member of the First Presbyterian church.

The funeral will be held from the home of M. G. Rothwell, of Third street, next Monday, Mrs. Rothwell being a niece.

Clinton Feurt.

Charles Cole and little daughter of Bond street went to Franklin Furnace Friday to attend the funeral of their uncle, Clinton Feurt. Many other relatives and friends from this city and Ironton also attended the services.

Bayerl.

A tiny daughter of Charles Bayerl an employe of the Irving Drew Shoe company, and wife, died shortly after birth at their home, No. 1054 Highland avenue, Friday night.

Mrs. Mary B. Staiger Funeral.

Cremation [illegible]

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The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Barbara Staiger will take place Monday afternoon from the residence, No. 1533 Ninth street, at 1:30 o'clock and from the United Brethren church, corner Seventh and Guy streets, at 2 o'clock. Burial will take place in Greenlawn cemetery.

Local Barber Injured

George Cole, a barber, who formerly was employed at Chris Wagner's shop, corner Ninth and Offnere streets, was one of those injured in the big accident on the Central bridge in Cincinnati Friday.

Cole had several ribs fractured and also sustained scalp wounds. He is now in the city hospital. Harry Wesling, who was killed in a similar accident and on the same bridge a year ago, was also a friend of Mr. Wagner.

DIED ONE YEAR AGO

It was just a year ago today that Mgr. A. Nonnen, beloved pastor of St. Mary's church passed from this life. Quite a number of parishioners attended services Saturday out of respect to his memory. The anniversary will be observed with a Requiem High mass next Tuesday.

Ed Little In Jail

Ed Little, a well known painter, was arrested and lodged in jail Friday night on a non-support charge sworn out in the court of Squire Byron by Judge Ball, humane officer. Little is an old offender and it should occasion no surprise if he gets a trip to the penitentiary.

Coal Thief Is Caught

He was just lifting a few lumps of coal along the N. & W. track, near the Breeze plant Saturday, when N. & W. Detective Baucus happened along, so Lisle Bowling walked to the Squire Byron court and listened while the court fined him $1.00 and costs. When he couldn't pay the fine and costs he continued his journey, in company with Officer Baucus, and entered the portals of the county jail to serve out the fine.

BASKETBALL TONIGHT

Game No. 2 of the Alumni-High School basketball series is to be played at the high school gym tonight. An admission of 15c is to charged to cover the expense of court plaster. The high school quintet expects to draw second blood as revenge for its defeat of last Thursday. The Alumni is keeping mum, so there is no telling what they have up their sleeves for the under graduates. If you want to see some fun just separate yourself from fifteen cents and drop in and see the game.

BUYING FROM LOCAL PLANTS

Leo Rosenblum, a leading merchant of Chattanooga, Tenn., was in the city Saturday buying shoes from the Excelsior and Brodt Shoe Companies for his Economy store.

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Disputed Will Was Admitted to Probate

In the probate court Saturday the probation of the will of John B. Fullerton, deceased, late of Madison township, was contested by the heirs, nine in all, brothers and sisters of the decedent.

The will was made on December 7, and five days later he died. Under the terms of the will, Oren M. Jones, a nephew, was given all the property, both personal and realty, the real estate consisting of a splendid 62-acre farm in Madison township. The heirs claimed that undue influence had been used in inducing the decedent to bequeath all his property to Jones. The court, after hearing considerable testimony bearing on the point, held that sufficient proof had not been offered to substantiate the charge and admitted the will to probate.

There is now a big dispute on between the parties on the question, who shall be named as administrator of the estate.

SIMON PURE DEMOCRAT

T. H. Bellamy, 88 years of age, and a Democrat of the first water, paid a visit to the Times office, Saturday. Despite his age, he is as spry as a cricket and gives promise of rounding out a century. He was an ardent supporter of Woodrow Wilson, and believes the country will continue to prosper under his administration. Mr. Bellamy cast his first vote for James K. Polk and if he lives to be a thousand years old will vote the Democratic ticket.

CLUB SEAT SALE TO OPEN MONDAY

The seat sale for the Club Minstrel, New Year's eve, will open Monday morning at 9 o'clock, and first come first served will be the rule. Judging from the tickets already sold there will be an unusually large rush for reserved seats at the box office. Everything is in readiness for the dress rehearsal Monday night at the opera house, the costumes having arrived today from Cincinnati by express. The Club should be congratulated for thus early completing all arrangements for the performance, and deserve all the patronage the house will hold. Nearly 600 tickets have been sold, so those wishing to go should buy at once.

Changes At Washington

Charles Payne, who for some years past has managed the check room at the Washington hotel, has given up the position. His assistant, Emmett Woods, has succeeded him, and Richard L. Payne, of Ewing, Ky., a nephew of the former, takes Woods' place. Mr. Payne has gone to his old home in Tolesboro, Ky., for a visit to his mother.

Claims Fraud In A Note

An aged Scioto county farmer, who is well known in Portsmouth, entered an attorney's office Saturday and enlisted his services in an effort to recover $1,200, practically all of his savings, which he loaned to a man on what he thought was a 60-day note. Close examination of the note showed it to be drawn so that it will not be due for ten years. It is likely that the attorney will bring suit to recover the amount loaned with interest.

Receives Motorcycle

Harry Hinchman, one of the proprietors of the Pennant Pool Parlors, received, Saturday, his new Reading motorcycle, which is now on display. The machine is a beauty, being finished in light green. Harry is anticipating some speed runs and may decide to challenge "Dare Devil" Tide Davenport for a race at the fair grounds.

Mr. Bash Back.

Sidney Bash, deputy organizer of the A. I. U., returned Saturday noon from a visit to Columbus. He expects to resume his work in the interest of the A. I. U. in the local field at once.

Here From Indiana.

John Heisel, who since last September has been employed at his trade as a cigarmaker at Frankfort, Ind., is home for a holiday visit.

PLANNING FOR EXCURSION

Up to a late hour Saturday afternoon no word had been received from Columbus in regard to the arrangements for a Billy Sunday excursion. A guarantee list will be passed among the congregations of the various churches of the city Sunday in order to get an approximate estimate of the number of persons willing to make the trip.

Have Left Shoe Co.

Charles Kendall and son, Tom Kendall, have severed their connection with the Brodt Shoe company, successors to the Portsmouth Shoe company, with which firm they were identified for many years.

Visits Old Friends.

J. M. Fowler, senior member of the late popular firm of J. M. Fowler & Sons, is spending a few days with old friends. He and his boys are still extending their great grocery stores at Zanesville, but Mr. Fowler thinks there is no place like the Pearless.

Suit Over Salary

An action was brought in the common pleas court Saturday by Attorneys Johnson & Johnson for W. A. Moore against The Wait Furniture company, to recover a balance of $274.52, alleged to be due for salary and traveling expenses while he was in the employ of the defendant as a traveling salesman.

In his bill of complaint the plaintiff says that on June 1, last, he entered into an agreement with the defendant whereby he was to travel as a salesman and sell furniture for a period of six months, and in consideration of his services he was to receive $1,000 per year and all traveling expenses.

Moore claims that on Oct. 17 last, the defendant instructed him not to report for duty unless notified, and after stating that he has at all times held himself in readiness to render services under the contract, charges that the defendant has broken it in regard to his salary.

BUILDING PERMITS

Mrs. C. E. Thumma secured a permit Saturday for a sanitary sewer tap at her property, No. 920 John street.

SPECIAL JURY DRAWN IN THE JOHNSON CASE

At the instance of Judge Blair and Prosecutor Small, a special venire was drawn from the jury wheel late Friday and the jury will report to the court on January 9, at nine o'clock, when a hearing will be held inquiring as to the sanity of Howard Johnson, young colored man, now being held in jail on an indictment charging assault with itent to rape a aged woman some days ago.

H. T. Hannon and Will J. Meyer, attorneys for Johnson, filed a statement with the court Saturday, representing that the accused is not sane, and they also submitted a certificate from Dr. S. S. Halderman to the effect that the defendant is not insane. It is said that Drs. R. O. LeBaron and S. P. Fetter, who recently examined Johnson at the instance of the prosecutor, will testify that in their opinion the accused is not insane.

The venire: Howard Smith, Gus Massie, J. A. Davis, Walter Beloat, J. C. McKinley, Emil Arthus, Jacob Yeager, George W. Freund, Dallas Lemon, Timothy Shope, Gilbert S. Monroe and Oscar Trimmer.

Noland Estate

Attorney George W. Sheppard expects to go to Weston, W. Va., next Monday on legal business in connection with the estate of the late Margaret Noland. The estate consists of 150 acres of oil and gas land in Lewis county, and the property is considered very valuable. There are now two gas wells on the land which produce the owners an income of $200 each, annually.

Miss Noland died, leaving no will. Attorney Sheppard represents two of the heirs, children of a brother of the decedent, one of whom lives in Vernon township, this county, and the other in Charleston, W. Va.

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river was stationary Saturday at this point with a stage of 8.6 recorded on the local government gauge at the foot of Madison street.

Sunday's Boats

Tacoma up for Pomeroy at 9 a. m.

A Short Visit.

Oscar Stanton, who has a position with the Westinghouse company, at Pittsburg, is making a brief visit to local relatives.

UPPER TURKEY CREEK

S. S. Mitchell, J. B. Belcher and Morgan Frances were business visitors in the Peerless, Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Magnet and sister, Sarah, were at Friendship, Tuesday, giving Miss Lillian Cuppett music lessons.

Robert Smith is spending a few days visiting with relatives at Rocky Fork.

Miss Edna Montgomery has been working for Mr. and Mrs. Milton Chapman for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tieman, Bessie and John Jones, of Pond Run, passed by here Saturday, going to Blue Creek to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

Lon and Lorie Fowler, of Otter Creek, were the guests of W. M. Bowles, Thursday.

Miss Ethel Frances was the guest of Mrs. Mayme Belcher, Tuesday.

S. L. Mitchell, of Caryle, Ky., were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Mitchell, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. W. M. Bowles and son, Dewey, were shopping in the Peerless, Wednesday.

Morgan Frances has been very ill with a bad cold, but is improving a little.

Arthur Chapman and Homer Frances spent Sunday with Curtis Coriell.

Homer Cooper and others from Blue Creek were in the Peerless, Saturday and Sunday.

A. H. Chapman and wife were at Portsmouth on business, Saturday.

GLADES

Samp Shoemaker made a business trip to Stockdale, Monday.

Miss Beatrice Lansing was calling on her grandma Shoemaker, Monday.

Miss Angie Toland, who is teaching in New Boston, came home Saturday to spend a week's vacation.

Miss Gladys Toland was calling on Mrs. J. H. Dever, Monday.

Henry Pfleger made a business trip to Jackson, Saturday.

Will Lansing made a business trip to Portsmouth, Saturday.

J. N. Jenkins, of Stockdale, spent Christmas with home folks.

Mrs. F. M. Keller and daughter, Zelva, were calling on Mrs. Mary Shoemaker, Sunday afternoon.

Nate Fulton, who is one of Dayton's most prominent lawyers, came home Monday to spend the holidays with home folks.

Line McDaniel made a business trip to South Webster, Monday.

Bob Coburn and wife are spending a few days at Mrs. Rachel Flack's.

Many of the young folks attended the Christmas entertainment at White Gravel on Christmas eve.

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SOCIETY FASHION

The crowning event in the joyous Yuletide festivities was the annual Christmas dance of the local Lodge of B. P. O. Elks, which took place Friday evening at Elks' hall. Elegant in its appointments and unusually well attended, it was one of the charming society affairs of the rapidly waning year.

The hall was finely decorated, the various tinted lights casting a soft glow over the colorful throng, making a scene to which no painter's brush could have done full justice. It was a beautiful, charmingly gowned, well dressed throng that fairly breathed the holiday spirit. It will be a long time before the pleasures of this hop will be erased from the memories of the revelers, who tripped gaily to the inspiring strains of Parker's orchestra.

The hall, with its many strands of holly and cedar encircling the room and suspended from one chandelier to another, and with the indispensable Christmas bell, mistletoe and smilax, was transformed into a scene as refreshing as it was appropriate. So much taste was displayed in the decorations that Mr. P. W. Hunsinger, who arranged them, came in for many compliments.

Details of the hop were arranged by a committee composed of the Messrs. R. A. Gilliland and Harry and Evan Williams, and they came in for much commendation, owing to the thoroughness in which they looked after the work assigned to them. During the intermission a four-course luncheon was served by Caterer Seel.

Among those who danced away the hours between 8:30 and 2:00 o'clock were: Mr. and Mrs. L. D. York, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Will R. Altsman, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bannon, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Haldeman, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eselborn, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reservare, Mr. and Mrs. Finis P. Ernest, of St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Watkins and the Misses Mandana Parsons, of Berkley, Cal.; George Brown, of Jenkins, Ky.; Grace Newton, of Kalamazoo, Mich.; Grace MacVaine and Marcia Stowe, of Cleveland; Page Lewis, Margaret and Julia Dugan, Jeanne Adams, Pauline Willehn, Marjorie and Persis Pursell, Augusta Haldeman, Christabel Kinney, of Columbus; Elizabeth Watkins, Katherine Dawson, Katherine Newman, Helen Kricker, Margaret Williams, Lucile Harsha, Katherine Mueller, Elizabeth Bannon, Stella McCall, and the Messrs. R. A. Gilliland, Harry Williams, Harry Gilliland, Evan Williams, Henry T. Bannon, Dr. S. P. Fetter, Ralph Logler, Watson Goddard, Phil Wolff, Karl Zoellner, Orin Oakes, Will P. Minego, Edward Donovan, of Waverly; Adna Johnson, of Ironton; Pearl Milstead, Lawrence Patterson, Howard Harsha, William and Richard Tremper, Paul Davidson, Stanley McCall, D. D. K. Anderson, of Cynthiana, Ky.; Chalmer Davis, Ernest Kelley and First Lieutenant James Dickey, of Ft. Meyer, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Y. Corriell have returned from Ironton, where they spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Solb. They have gone to housekeeping at 1419 Lincoln street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Adams left Friday for Ironton, where they will make their future home. They will reside in the South Side.

Miss Isabelle Johnston, of Ironton, is the guest of her cousins, the Misses Mackoy, of Wheelersburg. Miss Carrie Mackoy is home for the winter from Randolph-Macon College, Virginia.

Miss Clara Sampson, of 2035 Gallia street, has gone to Columbus for a week's visit with friends.

The January meeting of the Friday Afternoon Social Club will be held at the home of Mrs. E. H. Lancaster.

Capt. and Mrs. A. C. Thompson, who have been the guests of relatives here for a few days, will leave Sunday afternoon for Baltimore. Captain Thompson, who has been stationed at the Columbus barracks for the past two years, has been transferred to Fort McHenry, Baltimore.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Welch, at 934 Fourth street, was the scene of a pretty wedding this morning, at nine-thirty, when their sister, Miss Mary Arbaugh, became the bride of Mr. Lawson Sarver, of Montgomery. W. Va. Rev. Crayton S. Brooks, pastor of the First Christian church, was the officiating clergyman.

The bride wore a dress of white silk and carried a shower bouquet of roses. Mr. and Mrs. Sarver left at noon for Montgomery, where they will reside.

On Thursday evening, at half-after seven o'clock, the marriage of Miss Edna Copenhaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Copenhaver, of 1219 Gay street, and Mr. Raymond Bailey, of Detroit, Michigan, took place at the Second Presbyterian manse, Rev. Charles Robertson officiating.

The couple were attended by Miss Stella Cunningham and Mr. Fred Dotson. The bride wore a gown of shore-colored cloth, with a picture hat, trimmed with plumes, to correspond.

Immediately following the ceremony the bridal party were driven to the home of the bride's parents, where a supper of several courses was served.

Beside the bridal party, there were present Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor, of Wheelersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Göltz, of Chillicothe; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rakeman, of Detroit, Mich., Miss Emma Gray, of Circleville; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Boal and Mr. and Mrs. George Foehr.

The bride and groom went to Huntington, W. Va., yesterday, to see the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. aBiley, returning to this city today.

Tomorrow they will leave for Detroit, Michigan, where the groom is employed with the Pingree Shoe Co.

Miss Ada Vigus' class of the Bigelow Sunday school, held their annual pasing party last evening at the residence of Mrs. Harvey Shonkwiler, on Eighth street. After distributing the pretty gifts, the guests whiled away the hours with games and music and the hostesses served a dainty repast.

The class presented Miss Vigus with a teachers' bible as a Xmas remembrance. Those present were Mesdames Nannie Patterson, Lois Gerlach, Irene Grimm, Samuel Phillips, Harvey Shonkwiler and Misses Carrie Sowers, Ella Grimm, Grace Worley, Nancy Davis, Elizabeth Flaherty, Grace Maguet, Rowena Darline, May Welch, May Foster, Beatrice and Ona Lindsay, and two little misses, Martha Phillips and Lois Gerlach.

Mrs. Karl Figelstahler and son, George, of Sciotoville, went to Chillicothe, yesterday, for a few days' visit with relatives. They will be joined there Sunday by Mr. Figelstahler.

Mrs. J. W. Wentach and niece, Miss Mabel Ossington, of Greenup, Ky., are the guests of Mrs. Melville G. Bothwell, of Third street, for several days.

Mrs. George Grimes will entertain informally with a tea on next Tuesday afternoon, between the hours of three and five, at her residence on Fifth and Offnere streets, for the pleasure of Mrs. Walter Sheldon, (Helen Waite) of Madison, Wisconsin, and Miss Bertha Waite, of Washington, D. C.

David Bell, of New York, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Eliza Bell, of the Old Ladies' Home. Mrs. Bell is past eighty-nine years of age and her health is rapidly failing. Miss Mabel Daviess, of Columbus, a niece, is also the guest of Mrs. Bell.

Rev. A. F. Hughes, pastor of Bigelow church, wishes to announce that the telephone placed in the pulpit at the church is not for public use, but is more of a semi-private nature. A misunderstanding last Sunday when several parties attempted to use the 'phone at once, led to confusion.

Visiting Daughter.

Constable William Wolfe has gone to Huntington, W. Va., to see his daughter, Mrs. Rosa Fisher, who has been ill. He expects to return home Monday.

Mrs. Charles Gould and children returned to Sheridan today, after spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davidson.

Mrs. T. C. Beatty spent yesterday at Davis' Station with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Appel.

Mrs. John Wurster and son, Eugene, spent yesterday on Miller's Run with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Egbert.

Miss Pearl Peterson, of the Excelsior office, has gone to Cincinnati for a week's visit.

Mrs. T. H. McAfee and daughter, Miss Grace, left today for Philadelphia, for a visit with relatives.

Pat Carey, of Waller street, is visiting in Richmond and other points in Virginia.

Mr. George Beleher will leave Monday for Amanda, where he will spend a month with his brother, Rev. G. W. Beleher.

Master Charles Beatty, of Ninth street, is spending the holidays in Worthington, with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Appel.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Gilliland and daughter, Miss Helen, who spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gilliland, left today for Ashland, Ky., for a visit with Rev. and Mrs. Will Gilliland before going on to their home in Delaware.

Miss Cecile Padgitt, of Amelia, is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. George N. Thornton, of Seventeenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephenson, of Ironton, have returned to their home after spending the past week with their son, Roy Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ramey had as guests Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephenson, of Ironton.

Mr. Orrie Winkler and family and Mr. Perry Winkler and family, of Sciotoville, will spend Sunday with their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stephenson, of the Chillicothe pike.

Mrs. E. D. Dillon and children are expected this evening from Columbus for a visit with Rev. and Mrs. John Dillon and other relatives in this city.

The Saturday Afternoon Whist club met this afternoon with Mrs. Harry E. Taylor, at her residence on Second street. Mrs. John A. Grimes played in the place of an absent member, and an extra table was provided for the following guests: Mrs. Finis P. Ernest, of East St. Louis; Mrs. Walter Sheldon, of Madison, Wisconsin; Miss Bertha Waite, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. L. C. Turley.

After the cards, the following guests were invited to join the party for tea: Mrs. Eustace Wheeler, of St. Louis; Mrs. Boyce Elliott, of Cleveland; Mrs. Clifton Thompson, of Columbus; Mrs. Harry Schirmann and Mrs. W. J. Scoop.

Mr. Orla E. Rickey, of Fourth street, went to Harrisonville today to spend the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rickey.

Miss Grace Violet, of Columbus, was the guest today of Mrs. Orla Rickey, of Fourth street.

Rev. Herbert Scott arrived home today from Columbus, where he spent Xmas with relatives. Mrs. Scott and sons will remain in Columbus until next Thursday.

Mrs. H. B. Wise of Third street, entertained with a Five Hundred party this afternoon, her guests including Mesdames D. E. Holbrook, Terry Davenport, George Lockwood, Edward Steahley and Misses Isabel Questel, Jennie Steahley and Helen Lockwood. After the game the hostess served a tempting lunch at the card tables.

The home of Mrs. Katherine Albrecht at 1114 Fifth street, was the scene of a family reunion last evening, the following relatives being present: Mrs. David Campbell and daughter, of Columbus; Mrs. Frank Brown and Mrs. Edward Reinhart, Mrs. Thomas B. Albrecht and daughter, Mrs. Ida Asholtz and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cronenren, of Jackson; Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Albrecht and family and Mrs. Ethel Bryant.

The choir of the First Presbyterian church are planning to give a part of the Christmas oratorio on Sunday evening. The soloists of the choir include Mrs. Roy Lynn, Mrs. Charles Storck, Miss Mary Reutinger, Miss Ella Berry, Miss Margaret Appel and Messrs. Harry Boyd and W. Wilson.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church will meet on Tuesday, December 31, at 2:00 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. T. M. Lynn on Third and Washington streets.

Miss Maud Diskins and Miss Anna Thompson have returned to Huntington, after a short visit with friends in this city.

Members of John T. Breece's Bible class of Trinity church, are to banquet their lady friends in the church dining room next Thursday evening.

Miss Ethel Stewart, cashier at Anderson's store, has returned from a visit with relatives at Wellston.

Mrs. Pearl Peoples and sister, Miss Grace Violett, are the guests of Dr. James Hillings and wife, of Lucasville.

Mrs. Paul Eselborn will entertain a few friends at dinner this evening.

The cozy little home of Mrs. Kate Loft, of Seventh street, was the scene of an enjoyable Yuletide party Friday night with Miss Pearl Loft as the hostess of the evening for a number of friends. The party was given in honor of Miss Ruth Fondersmith, of Columbus, the charming guest of Mrs. E. C. Tucker, of Grant street. Games and a lunch were the pleasures of the evening. The following were present: Messrs. Charles Lawill, Paul Jones, William Edwards, Oscar Strickland, and Misses Nellie and Lillian Emmett and Kate Mault.

Monday evening Mrs. Granton Wise, of Third street, will entertain in honor of Miss Ruth Fondersmith, of Columbus, who is spending the holidays with Mrs. E. C. Tucker, of Grant street.

Mrs. H. B. Wise, of Third street, received today a box of beautiful Southern holly and Jackson vine, from her aunt, Miss Bessie White, of Huntsville, Alabama.

Little Miss Clara Watkins, of Fourth and Offnere streets, celebrated her twelfth birthday anniversary with a party yesterday afternoon to the following little playmates: Mildred Zucker, Marjorie Rickey, Elizabeth Willadin, Laura Donaldson, Virginia Swabel, Lyons Questel, Howard Watkins, Clara Haus, Elizabeth Gulker, Helen Schaeffer, Elizabeth Gulker, Evelyn and Margaret Hebsetter, Charlotte James, Grace Marcella Rolands, Audrey Wamser and Marie Schlichter. Games and music were enjoyed by the little folk and refreshments of cream, cake and candies were served by Mrs. Frank Watkins and Miss Ellen Watkins, mother and sister of the hostess. The favors were fancy baskets of candy.

Section Three of the Woman's Union of the First Christian church met last evening in business and social session at the residence of Mrs. J. A. Black, on Findlay street, with their husbands as guests. During the business session the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. J. A. Black.
Vice-President—Mrs. B. A. Leichner.
Secretary—Mrs. John Williams.
Treasurer—Mrs. J. A. Beck.

After the business session a passing party was enjoyed and the hostesses served refreshments of cream and cake.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames J. W. Beck, John Williams, B. A. Leichner, Chas. Racey, W. A. Quinn, W. E. Evans, E. J. Bricker, J. A. Black; Mesdames Alice Beck, Mary Woolum, Blanche Gilmore, Nettie Dihlman, Bell Swanders; Misses Elizabeth Swanders; Misses Elizabeth Nolan, Mary Racey, Margaret Beck, Margaret Quinn, Louise and Myrle Leichner, Ruth Woolum, D. A. Vallance, Nannie Foley, Bess and Florence McFarland, Frances and Lula Puckett and Rev. Crayton S. Brooks.

The Clio club members held their annual passing party last evening at the residence of Miss Isabel Musser, on Park avenue, with Miss Margaret Heer as assistant hostess. The members present were Mesdames Charle Hard, Wells Crawford, John Lowry and Misses Edith and Gertrude Elliott, Georgia Padan, Floy Staton, Verena and Lucy Graham, Edith Royse, Ruth and Alice Pray and Grace Fry.

A dainty repast completed the evening's pleasures. The next meeting will be held with Miss Ruth Pray, of Ninth street.

Mr. James Edwards and Miss Edna Holcomb were entertained at dinner last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Cope, of Third street.

Antoinette and Grace Cline, of Eighth street, went to Huntington, Saturday, to stay a couple of days with friends.

Clifford Baker, a popular employe of the shipping department of the steel plant, reached his majority Saturday. In celebration of the event a party will be given this evening to a number of friends at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker, of 1000 Eleventh street. An elaborate birthday dinner will be served, following which the time will be devoted to making merry and having a jolly good time.

The Citizens' Savings & Loan Association Company presents today its twenty-second annual statement. Look it up and start an account with a company that has for twenty-two straight years earned and paid a 5 per cent cash annual dividend. Rooms 21 and 22, second floor, new First National Bank Building. Arthur L. Hamm, Secretary, with Hutchins & Hamm.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Lucy Snowden, of Sixth street, was dismissed Saturday morning from the Hempstead hospital, where she had been a patient for two weeks.

Mrs. John W. Baird, of Robinson avenue, who has been very ill the past few days, had another sinking spell Saturday morning. It is feared she cannot survive the day.

Charles Morris, the Carey's Run pensioner, who has been at death's door with pneumonia, was reported some better Saturday.

Judge George M. Ozborn, who has been very ill for the past few weeks, spent considerable time at his office in the Turley building Saturday. The Judge is looking himself again, though still very weak.

Mrs. Walter Patterson, who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks, was reported a little better Saturday. She has been troubled with nervous chills and no one is permitted to see her.

Miss Kate Farrell, of Chillicothe street, was take quite ill Friday. She is a sister of Mrs. John Barlow, who is employed in the Salvage store. Miss Farrell has been visiting local relatives for some time.

Mrs. Vida Pettit, who a month ago was operated upon for appendicitis, in the Hempstead hospital, is mending a little each day. She will not be able to return to her work in Bannon & Bannon's office until February 1.

Capt. S. S. Bassler, former U. S. weather forecaster, is laid up at his home in Cincinnati as the result of a fall while walking down a flight of cellar steps a few days ago.

Mr. James Ellis of Ninth street, who has been seriously ill with pleurisy, is improving and is able to sit up.

Ray Bybee, who lives at Fourth and Court streets with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ribble, has been seriously ill the past few days with throat trouble.

Hartsell Evans, who has been ill with serious complications at his home on Fourth street, near Chillicothe, has taken a turn for the worse and his relatives and friends are considerably alarmed. He has been ill for some time.

Charles Richter, a Buena Vista timberman, is able to be about again after a few days' siege with la grippe.

Vernon Collins, of Grandview avenue, shipping clerk at the steel plant, is confined to his home with an attack of grip.

Miss Christine Clark, aged 19, was operated upon Friday evening at the Hempstead hospital for appendicitis. She rallied splendidly and will recover rapidly as the disease was arrested in its earliest stages. Miss Clark lives at 1234 Fifteenth street.

Irving Pitts, who two weeks ago fell under a C. & O. train as it neared the South Portsmouth depot and had his left foot cut off, left the Hempstead hospital Saturday morning for his home in Carter county, Kentucky. He was attempting to reach his home to see his mother, who was critically ill when he met with his unfortunate accident that will leave him a cripple for life.

Blood poison has developed in one of the big toes of Leslie Schisler, John street butcher, as the result of the removal of a toe nail several weeks ago. The foot is badly swollen and Schisler is hardly able to get about.

Mrs. Richard Blackwell, of Ironton, was called here Friday by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Newman.

Tom Burt, the Southern express driver, who was struck by a falling door at the company's depot Friday, is still in great pain at his home on Court street. A wheel on the door caught him squarely across the kidneys, causing a big and bad bruise. Had he not started to run when warning was shouted it is likely he would have been crushed to death. Tom in speaking of the accident said at first he thought he had been shot in the back. At the time he was carrying several boxes of jewelry consigned to local firms. He dropped these. It was reported that the jewelry was all mashed but this was denied at the express office.

Charles Miller, former Portsmouth merchant tailor, who recently suffered a number of hemorrhages at his home in Laconia, Ky., and was considered critically ill, is now doing nicely, according to latest word received by his parents here.

The patrol removed J. E. Dobson, a one-legged pencil vender of Columbus from the Biggs house to Hempstead hospital, Friday evening. Dobson, who came here a few days ago, is suffering with heart trouble and is also threatened with pneumonia.

Stamp Clerk Geo. Swabby, of the post office, is laid up at his home with an attack of grippe. Clerk J. J. Van Gorder is on the morning turn in his stead and Clarence Carter is handling the evening turn.

Major Louis P. Korth, editor of the Portsmouth Correspondent, has been laid up with a severe siege of la grippe at his home on Summit street the past few days.

Three members of the postal staff were laid up Saturday by illness. George Swabby, window clerk, reported worsted in a bout with the grip bug, and Assistant Postmaster David Thomas was on duty in his place. "Chick" Price and Chas. Wagner were also off duty.

HAMMER AND PAINT

The first consignment of structural iron for the new front of the bank room in the Turley building was unloaded by Contractor C. E. Nourse's men Saturday morning. The iron is from Schreiber & Sons, of Cincinnati. Mr. Nourse expects to begin work on the front even before the First National Bank vacates the room. The owners of the building are looking for some good retail business to occupy the room when the improvements are completed.

The time new two-story brick residence Henry Faivre is erecting on the east side of Bond street, between Third and Fourth streets, is now partly under roof.

Fred Winters has commenced work on the alterations of the room next door to his Golden Eagle Cafe, which he will occupy with four new pool tables.

Owing to a delay in the installation of the new machinery, the Pure Milk Co. will not get into its new home until the first of the year. Plans had been arranged to move from the old stand on John street to the new building on Gallia street this week.

Contractor C. E. Nourse is making fine headway on the excavating for the new Bannon building that is to go up on Gallia street. An effort will be made to complete the building by May 15.

It is understood that a number of people have spoken for several of the rooms, which will be in great demand owing to the conveniences they will contain and their splendid location.

Back At Work.

D. H. Rutledge, the Third street repair man, has returned from Carter, Ky., where he spent Christmas with his family.

W. L. Crawford is spending the week visiting relatives at West Clarksfield, Ohio.

HOBO GOT GAY; LOST OUT

John Rand, a professional hobo, who said he was born somewhere in Ohio, not knowing exactly where, applied to the city authorities for a pass to Columbus, Saturday. He claimed to be "fagged out" and walked with a cane. Asked how he got here, he said "The best I could." Clerk Wilhelm, of the safety department, advised him to do the same in getting out of town.

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I thank You, Lord God, for the sunset behind old St. Mary's spire.

Its glory is old-rose and lavender and heavenly blues, and dashes of red, and splashes of the green of the sea, the grasses, and the leaves of many trees; with hit-or-miss bits of orange, dots of purple, streaks of dull old-gold, and delicate strands of coral.

Above the dusky foreground of wooded-hill horizon, one lone star, and the crescent moon appear with silvery dimness, evolving almost in a breath into glittering silhouette, adding a dot and slash of burnished gold to the new awe-inspiring beauty of the whole.

I turn to the north, to the east, to the south—all is hazy, lazy, indifferent background of purposeful, black cloud-blueness.

Even as I turn, even as I muse, even as I thank You, Lord, You have shifted the slide, the world-scene is changed. The old-rose and lavender have faded to the paleness of pink, and smoke and lint-white; the heavenly blues to the softness of down; and, over all the tumultuous world, pervades the twilight hush of many sleeping babes.

To the crescent moon comes the deeper tinge of pure gold that has no glitter; a myriad of blinking stars peep forth; and the blue-grayness, herald of the night, fast approaches.

I dare not bow my head, or bend my knee, Lord God; I must need hold my head high, for my soul, through Your gift-windows, mine eyes, is looking forth in riotous, though silent, worship; in prostrate adoration of You, Lord of All that is Meet and Wisdom tempered to joyful Life, by Your infinite thoughtfulness in the giving of Your most lovely of gifts, the Gift of the Beautiful.

With eyes still turned evening-skyward, I lift my head higher in one final, soul-inspiring glimpse of the now-dying glory, and whisper low: "Is it not good in Your eyes, O Lord God, to thank You for the sunset behind old St. Mary's spire?"

Only my beauty-loving soul sings, ecstatically, the "Amen" of benediction.

Thus I stand, in simple, musing worship, till only the moon, the stars, and the tall, spectrallike spire of old St. Mary's remain of my scene of worship.

The night is descended. It envelops me with its cloak of darkness. Even so, my soul is undaunted, unafraid, wholly satisfied.

Satiated with the Beautiful, with the mere Joy of Life, my soul leaps forth in jubilant "Allelujas;" for is this not my Temple of Worship, this great and glorious, uncontaminated Open, where daily walk the Sons of Men?

But they—my brothers—they walk in seeming blindness, I complain, most bitterly, to the Most High God. They build of brick and mortar, of many and multi-colored stone, of infinite and intricate variety of architecture, their temples of worship, intermingling their prayers with the soundings of brass and many stringed instruments, the tinkling of cymbals, and the burnings of much incense.

In a very passion of protest, I fold my hands across my breast—and are there not millions of bubbles, even as I?—and cry aloud: "Is it not enough, Most Gracious Lord, Maker of Heaven and Earth,— is it not enough that I grant You my soul's most ardent worship, alone, here in the Open, Your own Son's chosen Temple of Communion with You?"

The low growl from the Cities of Men is wafted to me on the answering wings of prayer.

I close my eyes. I shut out all sound of the never-sleeping, never God-seeing Cities of Men. I brood over the problem of ages; that "never imitate; always insist upon yourself" inclination of the strong, even so the weak.

I open my eyes. I listen thoughtfully, soberly, intently. I look on the blackness of the star-flecked sky. The moon has sunk behind the hills, and all is night around and about me. No more can I discern the spire of old St. Mary's.

I stand brooding, till I am weak in my own strength. The darkness grips me, holds me. Mutely, I ask: "Why?"

But the eyes of understanding are proffered me not. My ears heareth naught. Only a resistless sense of Duty invades the secret recesses of my heart.

Humbly, I bow my head, bend my knee, and, holding forth my hands, I whisper contritely: "Lord, I thank You for Your greatest gift to Man, the Gift of Your only Son, who fulfilled His whole Duty."

Old St. Mary's chimes burst forth on the night air, jubilantly, joyously.

I arise and go me hence to pray—even as you.

Anonymous.

Some of our exchanges are boasting they have this great news service and others are boasting they have that. If they did like The Times, have both of the two best, there would be no need for snapping and snarling with alleged rivals.

THE BOYS AND GIRLS

Why don't you boys and girls open a First National Savings Account with us with your Christmas money? $1.00 starts you here. You can bring it in person, or you can send it by mail. By return mail we send you a Bank Book made out in your name. Every dollar put in our bank earns you 3 per cent interest. Your money is growing all the time. By next year you will have a nice big Bank Account. Send in that $1.00 today before you spend it. May we hear from you.

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PARTING ADVICE.

Governor Harmon issues advice to the incoming legislature not to weaken the one per cent tax law and to practice economy.

Words of more timely wisdom could not be spoken. While the tax limit law has worked well generally, there is wide and persistent assailment of it by public officials, whose only conception of office seems to be to spend all they can lay their hands on and then clamor for more revenue.

We have that experience right here in Portsmouth. The present city administration has more funds to expend than its predecessors, yet it has already exhausted well nigh all, and it is resorting to various expedients to keep the municipal wheels revolving, while there is little to show where all the money has gone. If it had more revenue, it would simply expend more, with just the same apparent lack of results.

The legislature must not provide more income for cities; it should devise means to make them spend less. For itself, it should hold closely to economy and retrenchment.

People are complaining these days of a thousand ills they know not of and are shrieking for legislative nostrums to cure them. The actual case is, there is only one sizeable wrong, and that is the extravagance and downright profligacy of government. From hundreds in townships to tens of thousands in cities, from millions in states to tens of millions in nation, government is piling up incredible burdens upon the people, with never an improvement either in quality or results.

Great as this country is, it can not go on with this process forever, and this is of a fact the foundation upon which rests the unrest and dissatisfaction among the populace.

And it is but history repeating itself. Every nation that has foundered, went down because of robbery and spoilation of the masses in one guise or another.

THE LICENSE MEDIUM.

According to his paper, The Dayton News, Governor Cox originally suggested that the issuance of liquor licenses be in the hands of state commissioners, with a deputy in each wet county, all to be appointed.

We may assume this will be the plan backed by the state administration, when the legislature takes up the vexed question of licensing the sales of intoxicants.

We are inclined to believe the plan, with modifications, superior to two others that have been put forth—one placing the power to issue licenses in some court already existing, and the other making the license issuer elective.

Not superior because it takes the license question out of politics, because that can not be done, but because it prevents it from entering immediately into local elections.

The local license body, it occurs to us, should consist of three persons, rather than one, because it is not safe to repose such absolute power as would here be invested in the hands of a single individual.

The salaries paid should be liberal, but not altogether out of proportion to the time the service would require. The expense, of course, should be thrown directly upon the traffic, and with this admitted, a second proposition arises, and that is, while the minimum of the license fee should be set, proper authority ought to be given somewhere locally to raise that minimum.

Uncle Sam wants the people to raise more beets, but he is particular to notice the spelling.

Woodmen Are Going After Encampment

The Modern Woodmen at their meeting Friday night, decided to make a determined effort to secure the next Tri-State Encampment of Ohio, West Virginia and Western Pennsylvania for Portsmouth.

The next meeting is to be held in July, 1913, and the place is to be picked by the executive board of which Harry Huddleson, of this city is a member. The board will meet some time in January to make its selection. The encampments always last an entire week. Prize drills are a big feature of the encampments, which are always largely attended.

Big Crowd At Sale

The public sale at the John Sheets farm place on Carey's Run, was attended by fully 200 people, Friday. Everything sold at big prices. Mr. Sheets will move to town and follow the occupation of a carpenter.

Big Deal Brewing

Negotiations are pending for the transfer of a piece of property on Gallia street, centrally located, which, if sold, will involve the sum of $18,000. Two local parties are dickering for the property.

N ght Crew .s Laid Off

The night crew of the N. & W. "Hump" at the East Portsmouth terminals has been laid off owing to the lull in traffic incident to the holidays. Night Foreman Charles Higgins is looking after the duties of Day Foreman W. M. Bailey, who is in St. Louis on a vacation visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Lawton, of Cleveland, are spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Johnson of Fourth street. Mr. Lawton is on the road for several hardware firms.

Important Meetings

There will be an important meeting of all Sunday school workers, which includes the superintendents and pastors of each church of the city on Thursday evening, January 2, at 7 o'clock p. m., in the auditorium of Second Presbyterian church, Eighth and Waller streets.

The state secretary, Mr. Shinn, will address the meeting and our much loved Dr. Clark being in the state for the holidays, wishes to see his many Portsmouth friends, and will have something to say, too. Let everybody begin planning to be present.

There will be a preparatory meeting of workers from all the city schools at Trinity church Sunday afternoon, December 29, at 2 o'clock, and each superintendent is requested to see that his school is well represented at this meeting.

Both of these meetings will be of vital interest to every person in our city, especially those interested in Sunday school work.

Let everyone that can, try to be present.

Orn D. Brown, President.

BASEBALL GOSSIP

Mike O'Day returned Saturday from Springfield, where he testified this week in a civil suit heard there. According to Mike, Orville Woodruff, of Cincinnati, will manage the Reapers this season, succeeding Charley O'Day, who may secure a franchise in the Ohio State League.

Taking The Examination

A number of Portsmouth's school teachers have been in Columbus the past few days taking the state school examination which attracted teachers from all parts of the state.

Contempt Cases Were Dismissed By Judge

On bench warrants issued by Judge Blair, Ed Odle and Jim Arthur were arrested and jailed Friday night on a charge of contempt of court, in connection with the Ben King and James Hunter assault cases.

The prisoners were charged with aiding in a plan to spirit Minnie Henderson and Bertha Howard, the two young women that were the victims of the alleged assault, out of town in order to prevent them from appearing at the hearing.

Odle and Arthur, when arraigned before the court, denied they had asked for or accepted any money from Mrs. James King with which to bribe the two women to leave town. It developed that they had merely talked of such a plan with Mrs. King and the court held she was more to blame than the young men and this prompted him to release them with a warning. Mrs. King was warmly admonished by the judge to "keep her mouth shut" should any of her sonse get into trouble again, and it was plain that only her years saved her from going to jail.

Judge Blair then announced that he had had a conference with Prosecutor Small and that they had decided to nolle the indictments against King and Hunter after permitting them to withdraw their plea of guilty. The court stated that he had fully investigated the affair and was now fully convinced that the two men were not guilty as charged in the indictments.

refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

The lodge is planning to hold its annual banquet early in the new year, when they will have their families and friends present.

OFFICERS OF THE MASONS

Western Sun Lodge, No. 91, F. & A. M., of Wheelersburg, at a recent meeting chose the following officers for the ensuing year:

W. H. Weidner, worshipful master; Dr. G. M. Andre, senior warden; David Bussler, junior warden; John Duns, treasurer; G. E. Koch, secretary; S. B. Bagby, senior deacon; J. S. Baker, tyler. Lunch and

OPEN OFFICES.

I take this means of announcing to my patrons and friends that I will keep open offices on the afternoon of New Year's day and would feel honored and very much appreciate a call from each of them.

I also desire to take this opportunity to thank my patrons and to say that every courtesy and favor within my power will be extended to them in the future.

You might be pleased also to know that this is the 50th anniversary of our company and the greatest year in its history.

W. A. INMAN,
General Mgr. of the John Hancock Mutual Life Ins. Co., 3, 4, 5 Kricker Bldg., over the Central National Bank. adv

Reward For Lost Man

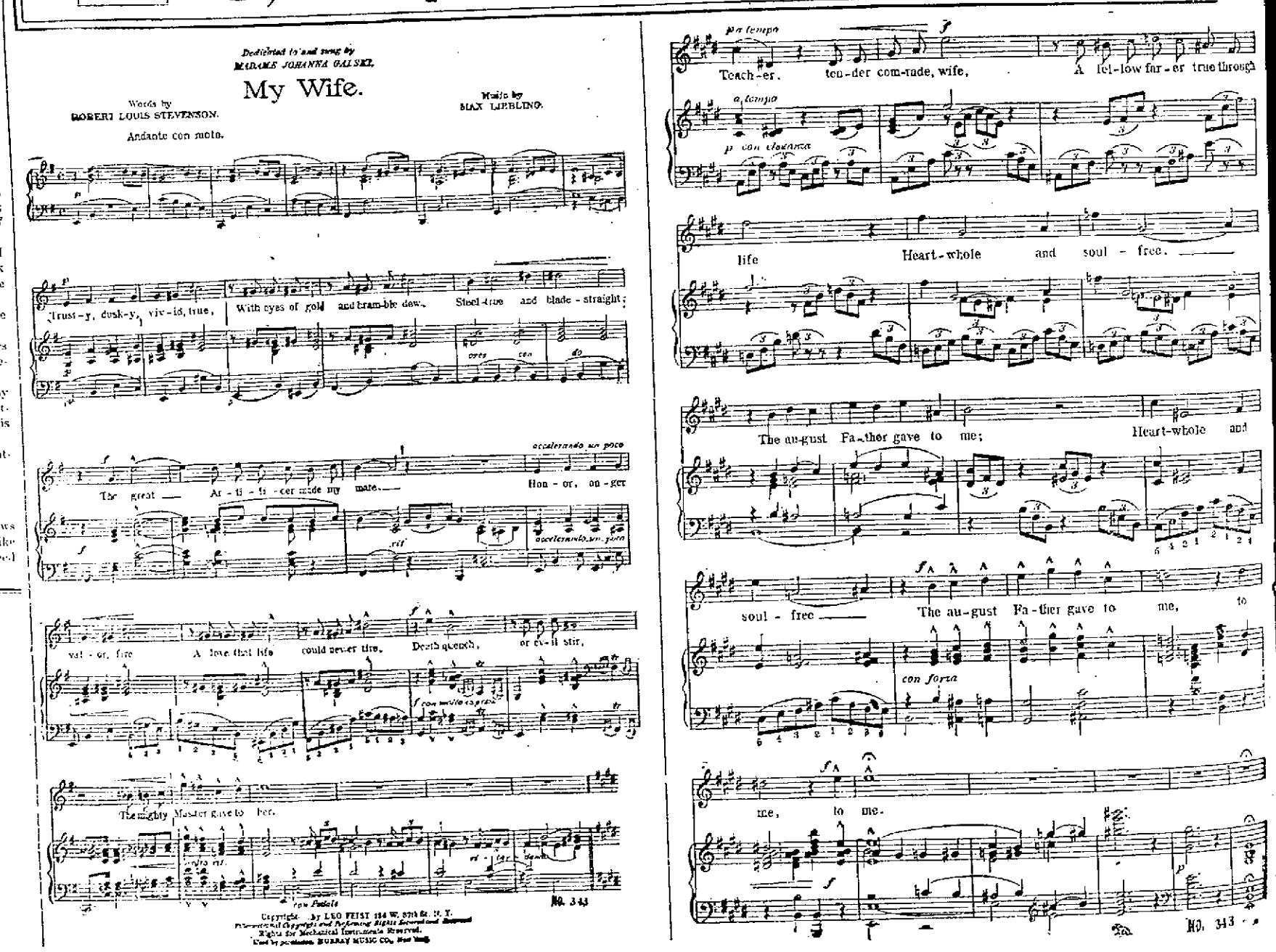
Coroner O. W. Robe received a circular letter, Saturday afternoon from the Pinkerton detective agency offering a reward of $100 for any information that would lead to the finding of Emil Diehl, 22, of Pittsburg. The young man wandered away from his boarding house in Pittsburg on November 22 and has not been seen since.

Places Order For Au'o Truck

Dennis Mershon has placed an order with R. S. Prichard for an International Harvester truck. He expects to go into the package delivery business on a large scale and the truck, which will arrive here next week, will mean quick delivery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graf of Third street will entertain a few friends Sunday wil ha turkey dinner in honor of Mr. Graf's birthday anniversary.

The Daily Times Saturday Song Hit.



After Christmas

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WANTED:—4 room cottage by man and wife. Phone A 859. 27-3

WANTED:—Girl for general house work. 929 5th. 26tf

WANTED—An experienced meat cutter. Must be strictly sober. Apply to Henry Haines, corner Eleventh and Lawson Sts. 24tf

WANTED:—Boarders at 621 John St. Bath and phone. 13tf

NOTICE:—When you want a package deliveryman call Dick Bostwick Phone V 404 for prompt delivery. 6tf

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co. Revare & Klingman. Home phone 490. 20tf

NOTICE:—To keep in health use L. Zuelle's wine, made on his farm. Call 533 Second street at jewelry store. 9tf

WANTED:—After January 1 board and room by man and wife. Private family preferred. Address J. H. D. 722 Washington. 23-6

CUT THIS OUT—When you want a secret investigation thoroughly made address Central Secret Service Bureau, box 954, Columbus, O. 26-28-30 jan 1-3-6

WANTED:—To buy second hand sewing machine. Must be in good order. Address D. S. G. Box 410, City. 28-3

WANTED—All people who want to save money to come to the Under Selling Store, 537 Second St. where you will save 50 cents on each dollar. We buy, sell or exchange new and second hand goods. Job lots and damaged goods. Ladies' and gents' wearing apparel, shoes and notions. We have first class, new, up-to-date millinery at less than half price. Home phone B 937. G. M. Warder. 27-2

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WANTED:—Four young men for advertising proposition. Good chance for hustlers. Write N. M. C., Lock Box 148. 28-3

WANTED:—To buy all kinds of second hand clothing and shoes. G. C. Wallace, Sixth and Gay. 28-6

WANTED:—Young man with experience. Werner's grocery, Gallia St. 28-2

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FOR SALE—Jersey milk, 8 cents per quart. Call the Peerless Dairy, Home phone 2592. 23-12

FOR SALE:—New 6 room house, bath complete, on car line, 17th St., below Offnere. Bargain. Owner left city. For particulars see P. Bauer, 1129 17th St. 28-6

FOR SALE:—Complete set of veterinary instruments. Bargain. Address Mrs. F. E. Bruce, Piketon, O. 28-4

FOR SALE:—Soft coal heating stove in perfect order. Call Weber's shoe store. 28-3

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FOR SALE:—1400 tree fruit farm, 40 acres. Will trade for city property. See J. Schlichter. Phone B 1013. 30-25

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FOR SALE:—Small farm on West Side, 4 room house, good barn, chicken house, all kinds of fruit. Joe Henkel. 923 14th. 17-10

FOR SALE:—Copies of law prescribing penalty for defrauding boarding houses. Ten copies must be posted in every house for proprietor's protection. Inquire at Times Office. Price per set of 10 25c. 12tf

FOR SALE—Or rent. Tarpaulins H. S. Grimes, Elk Bldg. 27tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms $3.00. 811 Front, near Chillicothe. 24-4

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. Apply 618 Washington Street. Phone 848. 24tf

FOR RENT:—2 house keeping rooms. Furnished. Bath. 1630 5th St., above Offnere. 26tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with board in private family, 1635 11th St. 20tf

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FOR RENT:—3 furnished rooms for light house keeping. 707 6th St. 28-3

FOR RENT:—Four room house; gas and water, on Hutchins St. Inquire 1732 Highland Ave. 28-2

FOR RENT:—8 room dwelling including bath room on East Second St. Philo S. Clark, Turley Bldg. 28-3

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FOR RENT:—Modern 4 room cottage. Grandview avenue, near Grant. Phone 1497. 28tf

FOR RENT:—One 4 room house, good stable, acre of ground; 4 three room cottage, both at New Boston. Inquire at 1306 High St. 28-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished room for one or two gentlemen, bath and furnace heat, 905 4th St. 28-3

FOR RENT:—Six room house 716 Campbell avenue. Four and five room cottage, East 11th St., modern improvements. C. S. Cadot, Agent. Room 225 Masonic Temple. 28tf

FOR RENT: Large furnished room, two squares from post office. Inquire residence part. 810 Chillicothe St. 27-3

FOR RENT:—Three rooms up, and two down at 905 Gay St. Inquire at 702 9th St. 27tf

FOR RENT:—3 furnished rooms for house keeping. $3 per week. 1425 3rd St. 27-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light house keeping with all conveniences, 529 3rd St. 19tf

FOR RENT: 2 furnished light house keeping rooms, bath room complete, 1024 Gallia. 19tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room for light house keeping, 910 7th St. 26-3

FOR RENT:—Barn for storage, horses and wagons. Phone A 865. 26-6

FOR RENT: 3 rooms furnished or unfurnished, water and gas. 1227 Third. 26tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms with porch. Apply Hotel Portsmouth. Phone 203. 6tf

FOR RENT:—One or two furnished rooms for light house keeping, all conveniences. Inquire 1609 Chillicothe St. 11tf

LOST

LOST:—Grip sack, containing surgical instruments on Gallia or Ninth. Dr. W. W. Smith. Leave at Flood & Blake's for reward. 28-1

LOST: Silver mounted back comb either on 9th, Lincoln or 11th Sts. Call phone 809. 28-2

LOST:—Monday evening, chain and pendant with one large opal and five small brilliants. Finder please returned to Ada Duffy, 946 Gallia street and receive reward. 28-1

LOST:—Tortoise side comb, gold trimmed. Return to 1504 3rd St. Reward. 27-3

LOST:—Two chain snow shoes for horses. A. Brunner & Sons 27-2

LOST—Sterling silver watch and pin. Return to 1651 12th St. for reward. 26-3

LOST:—Pocket book containing two $5 bills and some $1 bills, either in city or on West Side road. Frank Grumme, R. F. D. 1, Box 44. 26tf

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OFFICERS OF CHURCH ARE CHOSEN

A meeting of the board of trustees and members of the Christian church was held at the church at New Boston Thursday for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year.

J. C. Harris was elected elder and Ed Burns and Frank Carver, assistants; Allen Griffin, George Griffin and John Carver, deacons; Fred Magee, treasurer; Robert McDowell, financial secretary, with Raymond Hinslips as assistant; Robert McDowell, Geo. Griffin, Allen Griffin, John Carver and Frank Carver, trustees; Robert McDowell and Ed Burns, ushers.

A building committee, Frank Carver, Robert McDowell and George Griffin, was appointed.

Miss Stella Smith was chosen as organist, with Mrs. J. C. Harris, Ella Griffin and Rule Smith as assistants. Mrs. J. M. Robinson was selected as janitor for the church.

Frank Carver was elected president of the board of trustees, with Allen Griffin, vice president and Brother Fred Magee, secretary.

Did A Big Business

According to the Schenectady Times, the General Electric company, of that place, did a business aggregating almost one hundred million dollars last year. In the plant are employed about 18,000 people, and this is only one of several plants operated by the company.

This is the plant in which Harry Uhl of this city, is employed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Willard F. Perry, 24, N. & W. brakeman, and Miss Hulda Dickerson, 23, both city; Squire Byron.

Vincent King Ramsey, 22, employe Steel company, and Miss Elizabeth J. Marrow, 22, both city; Rev. Dunning.

INJUSTICE TO GIRL

The following card was handed The Times for publication and from Mr. Newman's story it appears that injustice was done the young lady, as her name was not mentioned in the trouble between Newman and Shively and she had no connection with it:

Ed. Times—The statement in The Times of last evening regarding a threatened fight between Tom Newman and Earl Shively over the affections of Miss Ley Teegarden at the West End hotel, is not true, in any particular and in order not to injure the reputation of Miss Teegarden, who is a perfect little lady and above reproach I write the above.

THOMAS NEWMAN.

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'No-Account' Husband Is Sent To The Works

In the probate court Saturday Judge Beatty set aside a suspended sentence imposed about a year ago in the case of Charles W. "Gus" Rutherford, arrested then on a charge of nonsupport. The sentence of six months in the workhouse and a fine of $25 was suspended at the time on condition that Rutherford leave the county and thereafter contribute $2 weekly toward the support of his two children. He left and only returned last week and immediately went to the home of his wife. She did not receive him with open arms and he became ugly and started drinking. This led her to complain to the court and Rutherford was taken into custody Friday night and lodged in jail. The defendant admitted that he had failed to send his wife any funds during his absence of over a year and Judge Beatty promptly ordered him taken to the works.

Steel In His Eye

William J. Martin, employed in the plant of the Portsmouth Steel Company, had a piece of steel lodged in his left eye Saturday morning. It was extracted by a physician, who hopes to save the eye, which was badly pierced. Martin lives on Ohio avenue, New Boston.

The Citizens' Savings & Loan Association Company presents today its twenty-second annual statement. Look it up and start an account with a company that has for twenty-two straight years earned and paid a 6 per cent cash annual dividend. Rooms 21 and 22, second floor, new First National Bank Building. Arthur L. Hamm, Secretary, with Hutchins & Hamm.

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SOCIETY

A delightful time was enjoyed Friday night by members of the high school class of 1912 in the first annual class reunion held at the home of one of the members, Miss Alma Coverston, of Highland avenue. Throughout the evening the graduates made merry, paying many a compliment to the committee, Misses Alma Coverston, Marcia Storck, Marjorie Jenkins, Gladys Wittenburg and Effie Cranston and Fred Thomas, for its thoughtfulness and thoroughness in planning the affair.

A New Year's resolution submitted by Mr. Herbert Fry won him first prize while Miss Hazel Atlas proved the best letter juggler in making the largest number of words from the letters contained in the word "winter." It was a jolly good crowd and they had a jolly time recalling their high school days. Those present were:

Misses Alma Coverston, Hazel Atlas, Marjorie Jenkins, Gladys Wittenburg, Edna Bauer, Goldie Lentz, Marcia Storck, Effie Cranston, Mabel Goodman, Kathleen Frick, and Messrs. Chas. Sampson, James Lynn, George Reitz, Henry Dalton, Howard Frick, Fred Thomas, Frank Ferguson, Alfred Duduit, Herbert Fry and Russell McCurdy.

Mr. Martin B. Conley and sister, Miss Margaret Conley, of Cincinnati, with the Misses Conley of Fifth street, spent Christmas at their country home at McCulloch. Mr. Conley, who holds a responsible position as foreman with the Littleford Machine Company, of Cincinnati, returned to the city Friday, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. P. M. Conley, and sister, Miss Katherine, who will visit several days in Cincinnati.

The Young Ladies' Sewing Club will meet next Friday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Moulton, of Second street.

Miss Alma Beck, the contralto of the Song Cycle Quartet, which will be heard in this city on Monday evening, has received high commendation in the report of the recent rendering of "The Messiah" in Cincinnati. The Enquirer gives a complimentary mention of the solo work of Miss Beck on Christmas night in Music hall, in the great annual presentation of "The Messiah," and if she can please a Cincinnati musical audience, she will surely be acceptable to Portsmouth people, who are good judges of musical ability. Miss Beck will be heard in Bigelow church at 8 o'clock Monday evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Musicale.

Arthur Findeis has returned to his studies at the Ohio State University after spending a week with home folks. He is in his sophomore year.

Dr. S. P. Fetter has returned from a visit with relatives at Gallipolis over Christmas.

Tickets for the Song Cycle Quartet, which comes to Bigelow, Monday night, under the auspices of the Ladies' Musicale, were placed on sale Saturday in Wurster Bros.' store, Pure Drug store, James Hager's and at the Washington Hotel. This will be one of the musical treats of the season and the Ladies' Musicale hope to have a fine audience greet this quartet of real singers.

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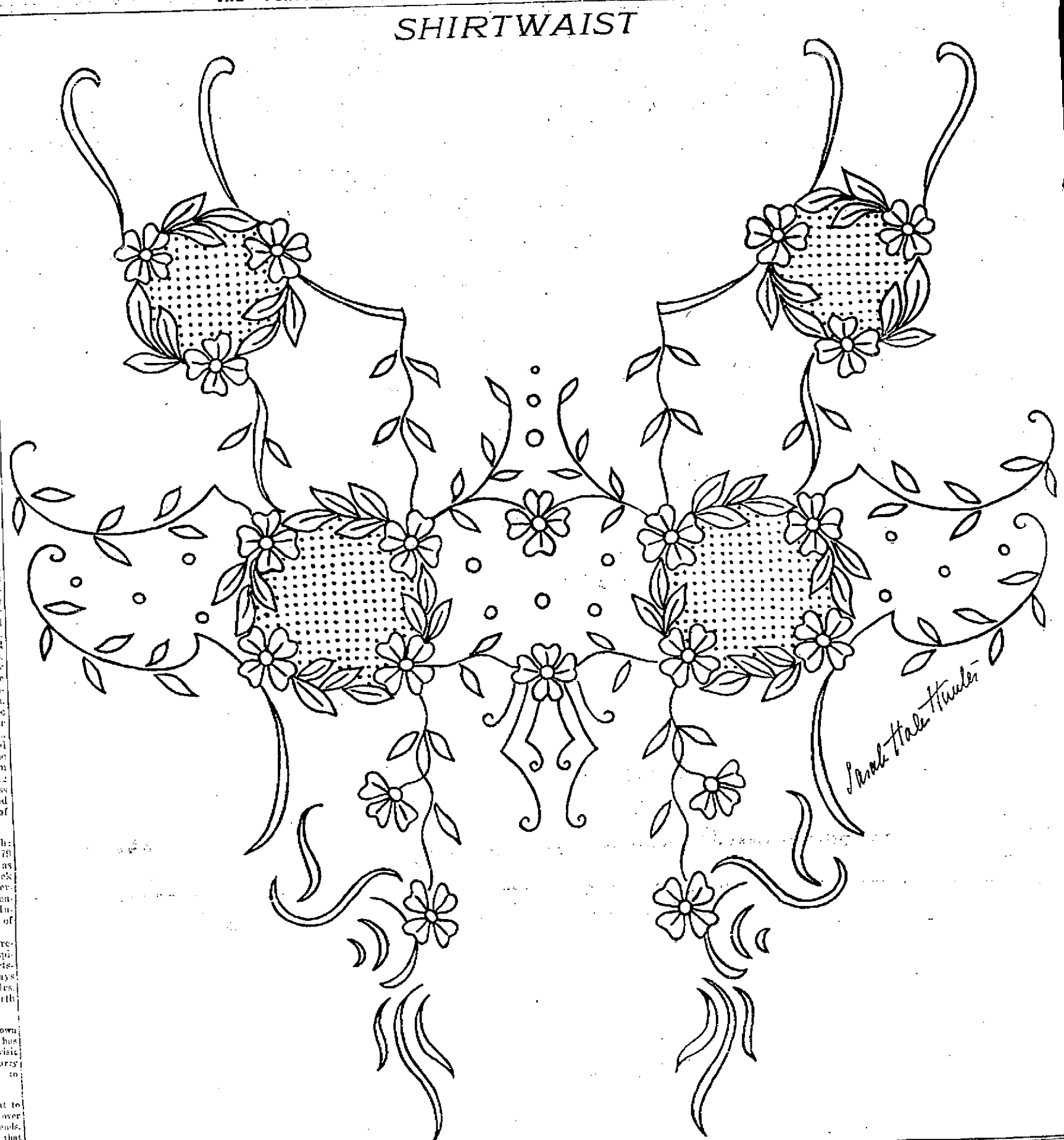
Dr. Samuel P. Fetter has returned from Gallipolis, Ohio, where he assisted at the wedding of Dr. Ira J. Kail and Miss Marilla M. Bovie, who were married Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Bovie. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. McKenzie, of the Episcopal church. Dr. George G. Kincon, superintendent of the D. H. E., served the groom as best man, Miss Katharine Bovie acted as ring bearer and Mrs. H. A. Ressner as matron of honor. The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a beautiful white gown embroidered in satin, with long tulle veil, and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. Immediately after the ceremony refreshments were served in the dining room, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion. After a short wedding trip the happy couple will take up their residence in Huntington, W. Va., where Dr. Kail has been located for several years. Among the large number of out of town guests present at the wedding were Dr. S. P. Fetter and Miss Nina M. Ayres, of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rathburn, of Columbus.

Says the Columbus Dispatch: "Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rowland, 79 North Ohio avenue, have as guests their son, Mr. Warwick Rowland, a student at the University of Michigan; Mr. Harry Fenton, of Hamilton; Mr. John Inman and Mr. William Inman, of Portsmouth.

"Miss Mabel R. Barbee has returned to the Hempstead Hospital Training School in Portsmouth, after a visit of a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Barbee, 2293 North Fourth street."

Arthur Unger, who was down from Columbus for Christmas, has gone to Charleston, W. Va., to visit his mother and his brother, Harry Unger. He expects to return to Columbus, Tuesday.

Lieutenant James Dickey went to Greenup, Saturday, to remain over Sunday with relatives and friends. He was born and reared in that town and always likes to get back among the scenes of his childhood.



The new Rhodes Embroidery, or punched work, is much in vogue just now. The design in the shirtwaist may be solidly worked before the punched work is done. Use mercerized cotton No. 25 for the solid work and No. 40 or 50 for the punched work. The cuffs and collar, which correspond with this waist, will be given next week.

DIRECTIONS FOR TRANSFERRING.

In taking off these patterns, lay a piece of impression paper upon the material, place the newspaper pattern over this, and with a hard, sharp pencil draw firmly over each line. If the material is sheer it may be laid over the pattern and drawn off with pencil, as the design will show through.

No patterns of these designs are available.

Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Miss Wise:—Please give me, through your paper, the way to write an invitation to a "watch party" on New Year's eve. Should the invitations be sent to the girls or the boys, or both? When and what to serve? What kind of amusements would be nice? Leap Year Girl.

I do not think you would have time now to send out invitations to a watch party. Why not call up each girl by telephone and ask her to bring a boy friend along. I would serve sandwiches, coffee, and a simple salad. Or you might have an old-fashioned supper, consisting of oyster soup and crackers, celery and pickles, or cabbage salad, pumpkin or mince pie and coffee; or cider and doughnuts. Have each guest suggest some favorite game.

Dear Miss Wise:—Should girls wear pajamas? Martha.

Wear them if you like, but they are not as comportable as the good old-fashioned "nighties."

Dear Miss Wise:—I am 16, weigh 130 pounds and am five feet and six inches tall. Do I weigh too much? Agnes.

No; I think not. It is very probable you will grow thinner as you grow older. Do not worry about your weight.

Dear Miss Wise: Will red blazers be worn this winter? Lizzie.

Sweater coats, Norfolk coats and dolmy coats are the prevailing styles. If I were you, I should wear mine occasionally, if I had one, at suitable times and places.

Dear Miss Wise:—A crowd of girls are forming an outdoor club. Kindly suggest a few names. The Girls.

Why not call it the Outdoor Club? The Rambler, the Stroller, the Ozone club, the Nature club are also suggested.

Dear Miss Wise:—Does Talcum powder cause blackheads? Is face powder better? What is a harmless face powder that will stay on all day? Hello Girl.

Talcum should not be used for the face. Good face powder costs about 50 cents. Be sure to get one that does not contain bismuth, as bismuth makes blackheads. Before applying the powder, have the face and neck scrupulously clean, then massage into the skin a tiny bit of cold cream. When the skin feels just a little sticky with the cream, put on the powder lightly, with a lamb's wool puff. By doing this the powder will stay on all day.

Dear Miss Wise:—What will take the musty smell out of a house? Housewife.

When dampness gets into upholstered furniture, carpets, drapery and sometimes even the wall paper and woodwork, it will take some time to get rid of that musty smell. Such articles as can be moved should be set out where the air and sunlight can get at them. Carpets need to be taken up, aired and beaten outdoors and floors scrubbed and dried thoroughly. Heating the house as hot as possible for a few days ought to do some good and will be possible now that cold weather is due. Strew chloride of lime about a damp basement. To make the house atmosphere more agreeable, have a little bottle of lavender water standing open in each room.

Dear Miss Wise:—I am twenty, and dearly in love with a young man, and oh, I love him so much that I would give my life for him. But I don't know if he loves me. I was out with him a few times, and he took me home from a dance. Now, do you think he loves me? And, oh, I am so happy when in his company. Whenever we meet he always stops to talk to me. He is so dear, to me. I just can't forget him. What shall I do to find out if he really loves me? Oh, please help me.

Dolly Dimples.

He shows every symptom, but you must give such a serious ailment as love time to develop. Don't let him see that you would give your life for him. On the contrary, let him see that you are not sure you would give more than an occasional evening. Be a little more indifferent than the tone of your letter would indicate.

Dear Miss Wise:—I am a young man, nineteen years old, and in love with a young girl the same age. We have known each other about a year. Three months ago I asked her to attend a dance with me and she accepted. Ever since then we have been going out together. I have asked her for her company and she refused, saying I was too young. She is loving, and tells me every time we meet she loves me. Jack.

A boy nineteen is too young to keep what is classed as "steady company" with a girl. This girl is right in telling you so, but she does wrong in encouraging you, at the same time, by telling you of her love.

Dear Miss Wise:—For the past few months I have been quite intimate with a young lady, and think that if I see much more of her I will undoubtedly fall victim to her many charms. I understand at present she is keeping company with another young man. H. C. F.

Why not welcome the fall? That would not be an unpleasant fate. If for any reason you fear such a fate, keep away and give the other man a chance. Unless you want her love, you have been unjust to her by paying her such devoted attentions.

Dear Miss Wise:—I am thinking of leaving my husband. He says he can't make enough to keep us both and that I either will have to leave him or get out and work. Please advise me. Wife.

I can not advise wives and husbands on their matrimonial difficulties. There are times in each one's life, when she must stand absolutely alone, and decide for herself just what she will do or what she will not do, so I cannot help you in your decision; but I certainly do think you have a queer husband.

Dr. George Lehman, of Columbus, and W. H. Payne, of Norwood, have returned to their homes after spending Christmas here. The Mesdames Lehman and Payne will remain at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Meier, until after New Year's.

Mrs. S. S. Ferguson of South Webster, father of Mrs. W. C. Ferguson, of this city, will leave on the 2nd of January for St. Cloud, Fla., to spend the remainder, Mr. William W. Ferguson. On der of the winter with his brother that same day Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilhelm and mother, Mrs. Edwards, of Fifth street, will leave for St. Augustine, Fla., and other points for a two months' sojourn. On New Year's day Mrs. T. B. Blake and daughter and little grandson, Miss Alice Blake and Master Donald Blake, will leave on their way to Kissimmee, Fla., where they will spend the next two months with Mrs. Blake's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson.

Miss Elizabeth Farmer, of Gallia street, has resigned her position as cashier in the Brandon drygoods store, and will go to Chicago on the 1st of January to take a course of study in the Moody Bible Institute.

Mrs. J. J. Rardin has issued invitations for a Kensington on next Tuesday afternoon, between the hours of two and five o'clock, at her residence on Waller street.

Mrs. Charles Schuler, of Eighth street, is improving after an attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. Charles Scudder is entertaining for a few days her sister, Mrs. Walter Sheldon, of Madison, Wis., and Miss Bertha Wait, of Washington, D. C.

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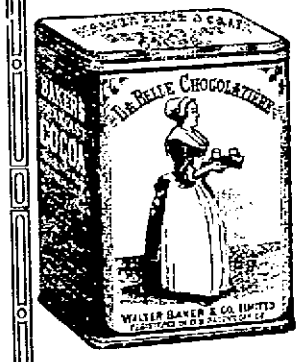

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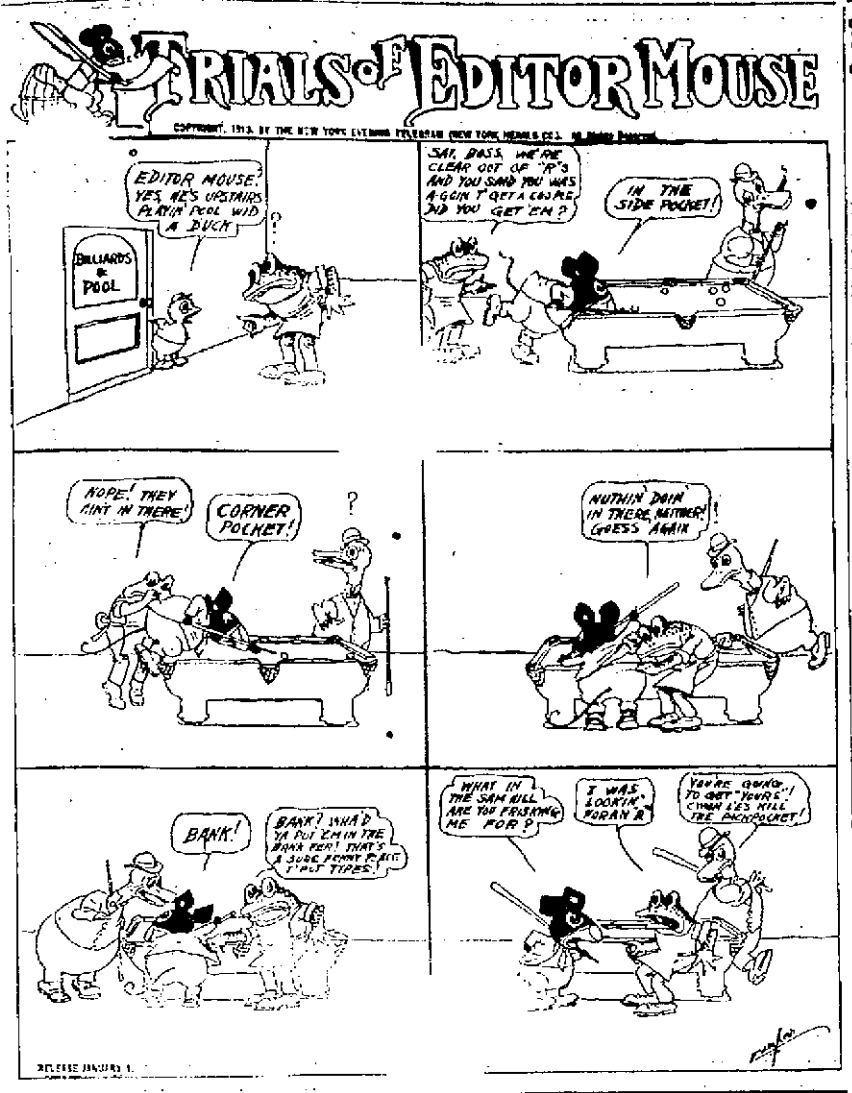


Back Home After A Strenuous Trip

J. E. Sands, local agent of the B. & O. S.-W., spent Christmas with Mrs. Sands and their little daughter, Marion, who are visiting at Washington C. H., and incidentally had one strenuous trip. Mr. Sands left here over the N. & W. for Cincinnati Christmas eve. The train was delayed enroute 35 minutes and when it reached the Queen City Mr. Sands found he was just three minutes too late to make connection with the B. & O. S.-W. Columbus train. Hoping, though, that it might be late, he hurried down to the Central Union station, only to find the train had been gone five minutes. He retraced his steps up town, took supper, then visited a theater and afterwards dropped around to the Transportation club at the Emery in order to kill time until the next train left for Washington C. H. It was shortly after 1 a. m. when he went to his train to enjoy a quiet little snooze. An hour later the train started, but it had no sooner crossed Eighth street when a draw-bar pulled out of the baggage coach next to the engine. The crew and many of the passengers now began rushing to and fro. Mr. Sands suggested to the trainmen that they detach the baggage car and put it on the rear end of the train. This was done, but by the time the car had been run down to a turn-table and brought back, another hour had been consumed. It was after 6 o'clock when Mr. Sands arrived at Washington C. H. He also missed connections on the return trip Christmas night and he went on through to Columbus and caught an N. & W. train down for Portsmouth.

Mr. Altsman Going East

Will Altsman of the Selby Shoe company will leave Monday for New York and Boston to inspect the leather markets for his firm and to place orders for leather to go into the shoes of the new season, which will begin early in February.

Liked The Gusto Trio

The Gusto Trio furnished the music for the Christmas dance in Waverly and the boys made a splendid impression. The committee in charge of the hop re-engaged the orchestra for the near future, declaring it to be one of the best ever heard in Waverly.

Home For Xmas.

The following jolly crowd of prosperous professional young men, all employed in Cincinnati, rounded in to their hospitable homes at Otway and thereabouts to spend Xmas: Ed Walsh, Jr., John Smith, Pearl Pieper, Charles Walsh, Martin Conley, Jr., John Walsh, Jr., James Donahoe and John Donahoe, Jr.

Nominated In Cincy.

Walter A. Draper, a nephew of Edgar F. Draper, of this city, and former city clerk of Portsmouth, has just been renominated for a third term for president of the chamber of commerce of Cincinnati. E. H. Maffey, a cousin of Dr. H. A. Maffey, of this city, was nominated for treasurer of the organization.

Conferred Degree.

Calvary Commandery conferred the Order of the Red Cross on Druggist George W. Freund and Samuel Kinsey, an N. & W. conductor, Friday night. The work was followed by a banquet. The Order of the Temple will be conferred upon the same two next Monday night.

Bishop Is Arrested

Boilermaker Bill Bishop was still celebrating Christmas when Officer John Smith, who had chased him to cover no less than a half-dozen times the past few days, took him in tow Saturday morning. Bill was hardly able to navigate and had to be locked up.

Oyster Famine Broken.

With the arrival of over 100 gallons of oysters in the city Friday, the bivalve famine which had been existing in the city for the past week, was wiped out. Local dealers were well supplied for their Saturday trade.

Louie Felt Blue.

Louie Miller, the genial German bartender at Findeis' cafe, suffered with a decided case of "the blues," Friday. Louie was downcast because he was not at his native home in Culmbach, Bavaria, for it was the 83rd birthday anniversary of his widowed mother. He has not seen her for six years.

Oranges As Gift.

John M. Stevens, well known insurance man, received a box of choice oranges from his brother, Capt. Charles Stevens, of Columbus, for Christmas. The Captain sent them from Coronado, Florida, where he is spending the winter.

On Vacation Visit.

George Bield, a clerk at the local U. S. express office, has gone to his home in Wilmington, O., for a two weeks' vacation visit.

A SQUARE ECONOMICAL HOUSE

Designed By Chas. S. Sedgwick, Architect.

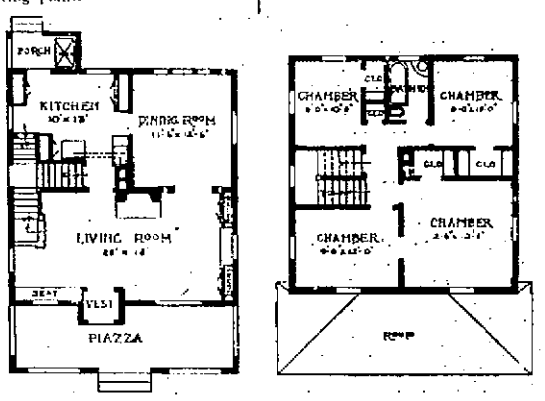
The square, economical house is one that gives the largest amount of space at the lowest possible cost. Our illustration is such a house. It is 26 ft. in width by 28 ft. in depth, exclusive of the piazza across the front.

The design is for a frame house, constructed of first-class materials, sheathed, papered and sided on the outside, back plastered and plastered on the inside, cemented on the outside from the grade line up to the window sill course with a rough "pebble dash" finish. This makes the house very tight and warm around the base. The height of the first story is 8 ft., 6 in., second story 8 ft. and basement 7 ft., 6 in. There is a good, roomy attic, well lighted with dormer windows, the attic space is left unfinished, having only a good floor. It has space, however, that can be finished in one or more rooms if desired.

There is one large central chimney with a broad, liberal brick fireplace in the center of the main living room. This room is 25 ft. in width by 13 ft. in depth, extending across the full front, with a vestibule entrance, and the stairway leading up from the left-hand side with platforms to the second story. These stairs are arranged with the combination, a short section extending up from the kitchen to the platform leading to the second story, basement stairs underneath with an entrance at the grade line, all of which is convenient and very convenient. The dining room on the right at the rear of the living room connects with a columned arch and is of liberal size and well lighted. At the right end of living room are bookshelves on either side of the window with a seat below the window. The kitchen is well arranged with all conveniences, cupboards, etc. full basement under the house with laundry and heating plant.

The second floor has four good bed rooms with bath room and closets, well arranged. It is estimated that this house can be built for $2,800, exclusive of heating and plumbing. The first story is finished in Washington fir stained, and oak floor left natural color, and the second story finished in pine and stained, the floor to be of birch.

The details of this house are well worked out and the exterior is very neat and pleasing. It is hardly possible to build a better house, having the same accommodations on more economical lines.



Candidates Taken In By Fraternal Orders

BEN HURS.

A class of eight candidates was initiated by the tribe of Ben Hur at its regular weekly meeting held Friday evening. There was a good turnout of the members at the meeting to witness the initiatory exercises.

The tribe will give a watch party Tuesday night at their hall, in which the members and their friends will participate. For the amusement of those that attend a program consisting of songs and music will be rendered to break the monotony of watching the old year out and the new year in.

WOODMEN OF WORLD.

River City camp, Woodmen of the World, at its regular meeting held Friday night, accepted several applications for membership and the candidates will be initiated at the next meeting.

George A. Ditty read a letter from J. C. Root, founder of the order, thanking the local lodge for the celebration and class initiation given recently in honor of his 68th birthday anniversary.

The committee on arrangements for the W. O. W. convention to be held here next April, will hold a business session at the office of Clerk Roy McElhaney next Thursday night.

Settled With Lawrence Co.

The county infirmary board, George A. Ditty, William Weidner and James McJunkin, and Supt. John Hall returned from Ironton Friday evening, where they went to make their annual settlement with the Lawrence county board. The trip ended the business affairs with adjoining counties, as the office of infirmary director will cease to exist after next Monday, when a new law goes into effect abolishing the boards throughout the state. Commencing January 1, the infirmary will be under the control of the county commissioners and the board will meet next Tuesday to organize.

Big Deal Missed Fire

For several days an important business deal has been incubating in this city, but all negotiations were declared off Saturday. Had the deal gone through an Ironton man would have purchased half interest in a well known concern, and it is centrally located.

Auditor At Work.

F. C. Bacon, of Baltimore, traveling auditor of the B. & O., is making an examination of the local B. & O. S. W. office.

OPERATED ON AT CINCINNATI

Harold, 16-year-old son of A. Schirrmann, Gallia street confectioner, is recovering from an operation he underwent Thursday at the hands of a Cincinnati specialist for an affliction of the eyes. The operation was the second of its kind the young fellow has been forced to undergo and the prospects are bright for a permanent relief. Young Schirrmann, who is a member of the Freshman class of the high school, was accompanied to Cincinnati by his father.

FOOL KILLER IS NEEDED

Fakstown parties pulled Box No. 53, on Gay street, between Front and Second streets, about ten o'clock Friday night, and the Seventh street department responded. Not a trace of a fire could be found, and the chief realized that the boys had again fallen for the pranks of the culprit pulling fire boxes just to see the departments make a run.

Likes Florida.

Clifton Graeber writes from Jacksonville, Florida, where he is now employed as telegraph operator, that he is well pleased with his new surroundings. He says Jacksonville is a great town and with an abundance of beautiful girls.

Excelsior Prospers

After being idle a few days the plant of the Excelsior Shoe Co. will resume operations full blast Monday. Several new pieces of machinery have been installed and the plant will be mechanically equipped to turn out 3,600 pairs of shoes daily after January 1. The firm is winding up the most prosperous season in its history. An official of the company stated Saturday that the season's business would be ten per cent. larger than any other in the history of the company.

Who Wants A Fine Pup?

Ed Flannigan, well-known shoeworker, is selling some unusually fine French poodle puppies. They are from a litter owned by his mother-in-law, Mrs. Edward Nugent, Sr., of Front street.

Fire Marshal Here.

Fire Marshal Ed Donovan, who was in the city on business Friday, returned to his home in Waverly Saturday. His department will have an interesting report to be made public shortly after the new year is ushered in.

Going to Infirmary.

Jesse Dobson, the Columbus cripple, who was removed to Hempstead hospital suffering with heart trouble Friday, will be transferred to the county infirmary as he is a non-resident.

In Wheeling.

General Manager Andrew Glass, of The Portsmouth Steel Company, who has just recovered from a severe siege of la grippe, is visiting the company's general offices at Wheeling, W. Va.

FIXING UP SHOE PLANT

George Brodt, general manager of the plant of The Portsmouth Shoe Company, has returned from Moberley, Mo., where he spent Christmas with relatives. He has a force of 20 carpenters at work in the local plant, a number of extensive improvements being made. Long contemplated changes are being carried out, and when the plant resumes operations on January 2 it will be modern throughout.

LID WILL BE KEPT DOWN

"Nothing Doing!" was the emphatic reply of Police Chief Sam Phillips, when asked Saturday if he would follow the example of police officials of Cincinnati in lifting the lid New Years eve. The authorities there have decided to allow saloons to remain open for two hours after midnight, despite the vigorous protests of ministers.

Fine Fox Hounds.

Charles Odle, a Lower Nile township farmer, has just received two thoroughbred English fox hounds from Cincinnati, and he and his old standby, John Baker, anticipate some great sport hunting in the hills in the western part of the county this winter.

Sister Is Married.

Mike and Leslie Herzog, well-known post-card dealers, have just learned that their widowed sister, Mrs. Grace Silverglade, was remarried in Cincinnati two months ago. She married a man named Miller, who is employed in an automobile garage there.

Buys Property.

Alex Kelso, of the saloon firm of Kelso Bros., purchased William Kinker's property on Grant street, the other day, for $2,000.

Auto Was Damaged

Dr. H. F. Rapp, while returning to his home on the West Side, Friday evening, ran his Metz runabout into one of the girders on the Union Mills bridge. One fender of his car was partly torn off and one lamp was damaged. It was the third time Dr. Rapp has sent his machine into one of the girders of this bridge.

Mattress Was Afire

Just after Mrs. Simon Conley, of No. 1111 Mill street, stepped out of her home Saturday morning, an old straw mattress ignited from a grate fire. Neighbors gave the alarm. The blaze was extinguished by the fire department before any serious loss resulted, only the bed and bed clothes having been destroyed.

Freight Derailed

Traffic on this division of the C. & O. was held up two hours Saturday morning by a freight derailment near Springdale. An eastbound freight ditched four cars and it was necessary to summon the wrecking crew from Newport.

School Will Resume On Thursday Jan. 2

School will not open up until Thursday, January 2, which will be good news to many an anxious youngster, who has been laboring under the delusion that school will open Monday. Somehow the impression has gone out to many that school will open Monday, but the school board at its last meeting decided to add the extra days, feeling that with the holiday spirit in the air, it would be a waste of effort to hold school.

Superintendent Appel was glad to receive today the shipment of lockers for the new High school. The balance of the equipment for the manual training department also came and the work of installing it is in progress. It will be ready when school resumes January 2.

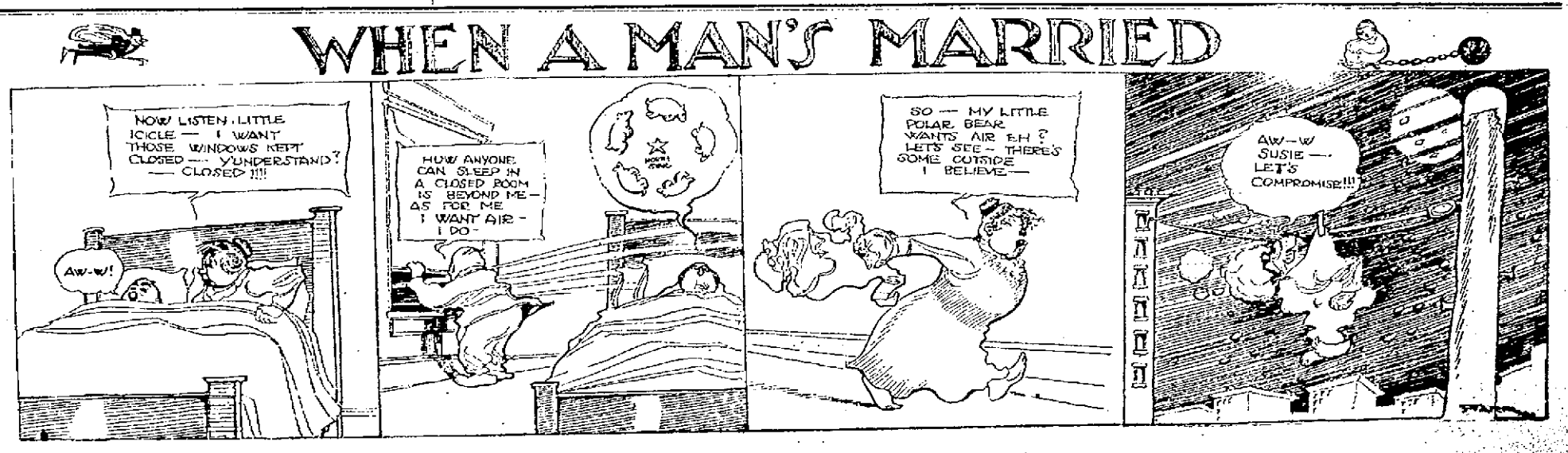
Work Is Stopped On New Pumping Station

It became known Saturday that Director of Public Service John M. Williams had ordered work suspended on the new city pumping station.

Mr. Williams was opposed to erecting one wall of the building and then tying the other to it. "You know what that would mean," said he. "I want a building that will stand for at least one hundred years."

"The brick work on the building," said Mr. Williams, "can not be done right so long as the well is unfinished. It is the well which is holding back all of the work on the structure. Water is still seeping into it and the big pumps ordered two weeks ago to be used in pumping it out, have not yet arrived. Mr. Williams has written letters to the Nicola Building Company of Pittsburg, and Engineers Witmer & Brown, of Buffalo, N. Y., complaining of the situation and urging that they get a move on themselves. Curtis & Shumway continue making satisfactory headway with the construction of the reservoir on Bonham Hill.

John Wilhelm of East Second street is ill in bed.



DYNAMITERS ARE GUILTY

(Continued From Page 1.)

Ryan, Hockin, Munsey and some others will get both fines and cumulative sentences.

The penalty is a fine, prison sentence or both.

The verdict in finding the men guilty was a great surprise here.

Frank Dare, foreman of the jury, speaking for the jury said: "All of us jurors believed we did our full duty and that no one can have any criticism to make of our verdict. We did what we thought was right."

Cases Will Be Appealed

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Dec., 28—Senator John W. Kern, chief counsel for the defendants in the dynamite trials, when told of the verdicts at Indianapolis, Ind., today declared the cases would be appealed. Preparation for appeals were made in advance, said Kern, and will be made to the United States circuit of appeals in the regular way. Further than that Senator Kern declined to comment.

More Trouble Is Coming

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Dec., 28—Attorney General Wickersham is considering the question of turning over to various state authorities the evidence taken at the dynamite trial for such action as local authorities might wish to take towards the possible prosecution of the convicted men on charges of being accessories to murders and destruction of property.

"Nothing To Say" Said Gompers

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Dec., 28—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor had no comment to make today on the outcome of thedynamite trial at Indianapolis.

"I have no statement now and I shall have none to make hereafter," said Gompers.

Declined To Comment

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Dec., 28—Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, declined to comment today on the verdict in the cases of the 38 labor officials found guilty of complicity in the dynamite trial at Indianapolis today.

What The Verdict Means

(By United Press.)

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec., 28—The conviction of Olas Tveitmoe and Eugene A. Clancy of San Francisco and J. E. Munsey, of Salt Lake City, sustained the government's charges that they aided in plotting the destruction of the Los Angeles Times building when 21 persons lost their lives, and assisted in the escape of James B. McNamara in his flight from the scene at that time.

By its verdict the jury also sustained the charges that the McNamara brothers now in prison in Los Angeles were aided in the nation-wide dynamite plot by almost all of the executive officials of the iron workers' union and that they knowingly carried on a series of explosions and also aided in the transportation of dynamite on passenger trains. As head of the union of 12,000 members, President Ryan, once sat in the counsels of the American Federation of Labor.

Tveitmoe, of San Francisco, is secretary of the California Building and Trades Union, an editor and a recognized leader in labor circles on the coast.

The men were not charged actually with causing explosions.

The only charges under which they could be prosecuted by the federal government were conspiracy and illegal transportation of dynamite, but the court ruled that evidence as to violence was competent as showing a motive, of death or destruction of property.

"I am not ready to believe that organized labor yet stands for the things that have been shown here," was one of Judge Anderson's statements to the jury. "This is not a trial of labor unions, but of union officials accused of wrong doing," he said. "Ortie E. McManigal, the confessed leader, who named numerous men as having assisted him in causing explosions and Edward Clark, of Cincinnati, who pleaded guilty, at the opening the trial here, remained to be disposed of. Clark probably will be sentenced with the others on Monday. He confessed to blowing up a bridge at Dayton, O.

McManigal has been now in custody of a deputy marshal of Los Angeles county as a "loan" to the federal prosecution. He probably will be returned to Los Angeles county there to await sentence.

Also at the head of those found guilty is Herbert S. Hockin called the "Iago of the conspiracy" because he was charged with first initiating Ortie E. McManigal as a hired dynamiter, then with betraying all the dynamiters to promote his own ambition. It was he who, once secretary of the international union "whispered into the ear of Detective William J. Burns the names of the Los Angeles Times dynamiters."

John T. Butler, vice president of the iron workers, also was convicted, being branded by the court as a "perjurer" after he had denied that McNamara was drawing $1,000 from the union to pay for dynamiting jobs.

Almost tragic scenes took place in the court room for a few minutes following the end of the trial. The wives of most of the defendants in the rear of the room leaned pitifully over the railing calling for their husbands as the prisoners were ordered one by one to step before the court. Mrs. Frank J. Higgins, of Boston, leaned far over the railing and collapsed.

Each prisoner stands convicted of having in one instance joined a conspiracy to commit an offense against the United States government, this being punishable by two years imprisonment or a fine of $10,000 or both. Each prisoner also is found guilty of 25 charges of illegal transportation of explosives on inter-state passenger trains, each offense being punishable by imprisonment of 18 months or a $2000 fine, or both.

While the accumulated possible punishments are thirty-nine and one-half years the court intimated in the course of the trial he would impose sentence in accordance with the degree of guilt.

All the other acts were charged as being related to the series of dynamite and nitroglycerine explosions, including those on the Pacific coast as well as those in New England which were directed against the open shops of structural iron and steel workers against whom a strike was called by the International Union in 1905.

After receiving their sentences the prisoners are to be taken to a federal prison, probably at Leavenworth, Kansas. A special train will likely be used to convey them there.

"Slim" Market.

Owing to the severe cold the entral market, Saturday morning, was very slim. There were only a half dozen stands.

Dr. L. D. Allard returned home this evening from a business trip to Cincinnati.

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For 15 years a Standard Remedy for all forms of Rheumatism, lumbago, sore muscles, stiff or swollen joints. It quickly relieves the severe pains, reduces the fever, and eliminates the poison from the system. 50c a box at druggists.

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REVIEW OF CHARGES

(By Associated Press.)

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 28—It was a scene blended with tragedy that confronted those who week after week sat through the historic "dynamite conspiracy" trials.

Now it was a baby crying from the rear of the court room where the wives and children of the defendants sat; now it was the heavy voice of a man seated in the witness chair and defending himself against the charges of a nation-wide conspiracy in which officials of union labor were deeply concerned. Witnesses from near and far came and went, but those whose fate rested with the jury remained there, listening to the accusations and to the oft-repeated story of the killing of 21 people in the Los Angeles "Times" explosion.

The court room itself seemed a fitting setting for that sombre story. Surrounded by great marble pillars, with the daylight shut out by heavy curtains, and the judge installed before an allegorical painting of Justice, that court room day after day echoed the stories of violence, of the discovery of burnt fuses and bursted infernal machines, of midnight visits by mysterious men in alleys, in empty houses, in lonely country roads, or on the tops of buildings.

The vision of a dark spectre with a bomb under his arm became a familiar image in the minds of those who listened. Back of the railings, amid the spectators, sat the relatives of the defendants. Three rows deep across the room were the defendants. Among the score of attorneys sat perhaps the most picturesque defendant, massive in build, florid in complexion, always studiously occupied, now copiously filling his note-book when the testimony was exciting; now, when the trial lagged, burying his spectacled nose in a Latin version of Omar Khayyam. He was Olaf A. Tveitmoe of San Francisco.

Another man toward whom the eyes of the spectators often strayed was Herbert S. Hockin. He sat apart, between bailiffs, during much of the trial, for he had been branded by the court as "a man who could not be trusted by any one." It was Hockin who was named as having promoted the dynamiting business; it was Hockin who was accused of "holding out" on the pay of the dynamiters; it was he who was said to have caused a quarrel in the ranks of the McNamaras and McManigal, and it was he who finally was charged with "betraying for his own gain" those with whom he once associated, and with whom he was affiliated in the iron workers' union.

Gray-haired and old beyond his years sat Frank M. Ryan, president of the iron workers' union, by virtue of which office he was a leader in national labor circles, with a seat in the councils of the American Federation of Labor.

McManigal, the self-confessed dynamiter, for weeks occupied the witness stand, relating, calmly, decisively and without any apparent concern for himself a narrative of violence seldom equalled.

As a motive for the crimes charged the government referred to the strike against employers of nonunion labor, consisting of bridge, viaduct and building contractors who maintained an "open shop" policy, employing workmen regardless of whether they belonged to the union or not. This strike never has been called off. It was alleged that a warfare waged by the union spread all over the country until violence was resorted to, or, as was stated, "picketing spread to slugging, slugging to dynamite, and dynamite to nitroglycerine."

McNamara, at the headquarters of the union in Indianapolis, although later named by witnesses as the active perpetrator of the explosions, was to be represented by the contractors. But the arrest of McManigal and James B. McNamara, brother of the union secretary, as it quickly lined dynamiters, working under John J.'s direction and, as McManigal charged, with the knowledge of the explosions, forced a change in action. They were the cards of an organized band.

Detectives already had been working on the case when the killing of 21 people in Los Angeles by a bomb set off at one o'clock in the morning, showed that the desperation of the dynamiters had reached the suicide stage.

Much of the evidence that was presented at Los Angeles by the pleas of guilty by the McNamara brothers was not given. Federal Judge Albert B. Anderson ruled that while the specific charges were illegal transportation all other evidence relative to explosions might be offered as showing a motive. The testimony was that the destruction of the "Times" building was not strictly a part of the campaign against non-union iron and steel work, but was done in an effort to unionize various trades in Los Angeles. James B. McNamara, who set the bomb, was a printer. Witnesses stated that McNamara afterwards expressed little regret that 21 people were killed, and, in fact, expressed disappointment that he had not killed Gen. Harrison Gray Otis, proprietor of the "Times"; that the dynamiter was sent to the coast at the solicitation of Tveitmoe, a recognized union labor leader, and that Tveitmoe furnished David Caplan and M. A. Schmidt, who were also indicted for murder, but who never were captured.

All the 100 explosions came in for scrutiny by the jury here, and the field of operations extended from Boston to Los Angeles.

"Who caused those explosions?" was the question before the jury.

Broadly the charges were that J. J. McNamara began them and thought them an effective means of fighting "open shop" contractors. "Make the damage as heavy as possible" McNamara said always were his instructions. Hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of property was said to have been destroyed. Finding the maintenance of a hired "dynamiting crew" cost money, McNamara is alleged to have appealed to the union for funds, and in this way, the government charged, others became implicated. For instance, the government set out that the union executive board decided at last to allow McNamara $1,000 a month, for which he would be required to give no accounting. Letters also were written which, the government asserted, showed certain business agents, recognizing the "dynamiting crew" as a regular institution, sent word as to what jobs should be blown up. All the indicted officials were declared by their letters to be "linked together in guilt."

THE BUSY WOMAN'S DAY

It begins early, ends late, and is full of work. She often has kidney trouble without knowing it. Her back aches, and she is tired and worn out. Sleeps poorly, is nervous, no appetite. Her bladder gives her trouble, too. Foley Kidney Pills will cure all that and make her strong and well. Mrs. Lena Beyer, 12 Frederick St., Auburn, N. Y., says: "Three boxes of Foley Kidney Pills were all that were needed to make me strong and well." They are the best medicine made for kidney and bladder disorders. Try them. For sale by The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy. adv

Important Meeting

On Thursday evening, January 2, there is to be an important meeting of all Sunday school workers of the city and the pastors in the auditorium of the Second Presbyterian church. State Secretary Chinn will address the meeting. Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Trinity church a preparatory meeting is to be held.

Has Corns.

Will Hey, head waiter at the Palace restaurant, is navigating with a double limp. Will is troubled with quite a collection of corns.

A COLD WAVE

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Of The

Citizens' Savings and Loan Association Co.

OF PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 3rd., 1912.

This Association on December 3rd closed its books for the 22nd year, of which the following is a report. You will note from a very small beginning in NOVEMBER, 1891, when our Assets were $1,400.00, we have EACH YEAR, without a single exception, increased our assets until they now show $521,370.25, every dollar of which is loaned upon FIRST MORTGAGE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH REAL ESTATE.

This showing has been made possible from the fact that we have had NO FORECLOSURES, NO LOSSES, NO BAD LOANS, since organization. Our methods are plain and simple, and the management careful and conservative. A 6 per cent cash dividend has been earned and paid each year to both DEPOSITOR and BORROWER. By starting an account with us, a most profitable investment may be secured for the New Year. Loans reduced and interest charge to borrowers, decreased in amounts of $100.00 and upwards.

Increase this year $81,000.00. An average increase each week of $1560.00. Earnings 1911, $25,383.65. Earnings 1912, $31,470.63

TWENTY TWO YEARS — NO LOSS — SIX PER CENT

ARTHUR L. HAMM, Secretary,
With Hutchins & Hamm.
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ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Cash on Hand	$ 5,320.25	Running Stock and Dividends	$222,748.68
Loans on Mortgage Security	516,050.00	Credits on Mortgage Loans	64,945.68
		Paid-up Stock and Dividends	216,048.77
		Deposits and Accrued Interest	5,373.24
		Reserve Fund	12,253.68
Total	$521,370.25	Total	$521,370.25

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
Cash on Hand at close of Last Fiscal Year	$ 3,237.33	Loans on Mortgage Security	$247,000.00
Dues on Running Stock	111,793.18	Withdrawals of Running Stock and Dividends	78,874.42
Paid-up Stock	81,200.00	Withdrawals of Paid-up Stock	48,700.00
Deposits	7,995.27	Withdrawals of Deposits	9,795.08
Loans on Mortgage Security Repaid	168,150.00	Borrowed Money	49,000.00
Borrowed Money	49,000.00	Dividends on Paid-up Stock	7,834.09
Interest	31,470.63	Interest on Deposits	237.43
		Interest on Borrowed Money	1,392.67
		Expenses	4,692.47
		Cash on Hand	5,320.25
Total	$452,846.41	Total	$452,846.41

PROFIT AND LOSS.		PROFIT AND LOSS.	
Interest	$ 31,470.63	Dividends on Running Stock	$ 13,625.60
		Dividends on Paid-up Stock	10,248.77
		To Reserve Fund	1,273.69
		Interest on Deposits	237.43
		Interest on Borrowed Money	1,392.67
		Expenses	4,692.47
Total	$ 31,470.63	Total	$ 31,470.63

STATE OF OHIO, SCIOTO COUNTY, SS.:

Arthur L. Hamm, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Secretary of The Citizens' Savings & Loan Association Company, of Portsmouth, Ohio, and that the foregoing statement and report is a full and detailed report of the affairs and business of said Company for the fiscal year ending on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1912, and that it is true and correctly shows its financial condition at the end of said fiscal year.

ARTHUR L. HAMM.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26th day of December, A. D. 1912.

LOUIS J. VETTER, Notary Public, Scioto County, Ohio.

CERTIFICATE OF THREE DIRECTORS OF AUDITING COMMITTEE.

We, the undersigned, Philo S. Clark, Samuel Wise and Chas. A. Doerr, Auditing Committee of the said The Citizens' Savings & Loan Association Company, of Portsmouth, Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of the said Company on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1912, and a true statement of its affairs and business for the fiscal year ending on that day.

PHILO S. CLARK,
SAMUEL WISE,
CHAS. A. DOERR.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

Year	Assets	Mortgage Loans	Contingent Fund
1891	1,400.00	1,400.00	
1895	39,154.00	38,850.00	295.26
1900	94,119.59	86,850.00	2,071.65
1905	224,301.78	223,350.00	4,924.68
1910	373,953.50	369,100.00	9,880.78
1911	440,437.33	437,200.00	10,979.99
1912	$521,370.25	$516,050.00	$12,253.68

$5.00 Pants, All Styles, $2.98. New Idea Clothing Company

Statements Are Sent To Church Members

Statements are being sent today to all members of the First Christian church, showing how they stand financially at the close of the year. Most of the members appreciate this information as they wish to make a clean record and receive credit for full payment of their pledges. Much interest is taken in this department of the church work because the entire record is posted in the church at the beginning of the new year. Tomorrow will no doubt see an extraordinary effort on the part of the members to pay all pledges in full and Treasurer Leichner will wear that broad smile over the generous receipts.

To both depositor and borrower, The Citizens' Savings & Loan Association Company offers modern and up-to-date service. Read statement in this issue. A 6 per cent cash dividend for 22 years. Arthur L. Hamm, Secretary, with Hutchins & Hamm.

Maccabees To Install

A committee composed of R. S. Cox, L. M. Warnock and M. McYeats is in charge of the annual installation of officers to be held on Saturday, January 11, by Portsmouth Tent, No. 494, K. O. T. M. M. The installation will be conducted by the uniform rank and Sir Knight F. F. Schwartz, of Cincinnati, who will deliver an address. A special musical program has been arranged for the occasion.

Settling Estate.

Judge Harry Ball has been in Gallipolis the past few days looking after the settlement of the estate of the late Mrs. Alice Holcomb.

APPENDICITIS

If you are constipated, you may be stricken with appendicitis any moment and subjected to dangerous operations. Keep well—keep your liver in order, your stomach sweet, your bowels free.

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Found On The Street

Mr. L. C. Cashman, one of the best residents in Portsmouth, found a purse containing $16.75 this morning on Chillicothe street, just as he was crossing Fourth. No name was on the purse and no papers were inside, so he went into the Wm. H. Burt store to inquire about it. None of the clerks had heard of any such loss, but the finder insisted on leaving the money in the store to await the owner.

Mr. Cashman while in the store noticed a big reduction sale was in progress and after investigating the values and prices bought himself a complete outfit of clothes, underwear, shoes and a new hat.

While he was paying for his purchase an excited man came rushing into the store, his arms full of bundles.

"Say, did you find a pocketbook?" he said.

"No, but this man did," said a clerk.

"Well, I can't tell you how glad I am," said the newcomer, as he received his pocketbook. You see I just bought a lot of goods here at this reduction sale and saved the $16.75 on my purchases. That was the money I lost, and I want to tell you I appreciated what I saved more than any money I had."

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Will Plan For Rally

On Monday evening a meeting of the ministers and various superintendents of the Sunday schools will be held at the United Brethren church, at which time plans will be perfected for the Men's Rally to be held on the third Sunday in January.

The movement to hold a Men's Rally originated with the members of the Brooks class of the First Christian church. It is planned to have not less than 2,000 men in Sunday school on that day, in which event, it is thought, another state record will be broken. Trinity Sunday school is counting on an attendance of not less than 300 men, while the Christian church can be counted on for not less than 200.

County Surveyor George S. Wilhelm went to Wheelersburg Saturday afternoon to inspect a new bridge that has been built across Pine creek.

AT THE NEW SUN

Beginning with matinee Monday, Manager Lee will present for the entertainment of the patrons of the New Sun theatre the greatest animal act in vaudeville, Professor Wormwood's Monkey theatre, monkeys that do everything. They know their work and execute it with a degree of obedience, cheerfulness and evident enjoyment that richly merits the applause that always greets their appearance. This entertainment has astonished and delighted the largest audiences of refined people in the United States, England and continental Europe. The entire exhibit is not only full of instruction but is the most laughable performance ever presented to the public.

Others on the bill are Skady and Skady in a comedy satire, "The Sign Painter and the Girl;" Fred Smith, the world's famous musical comedienne. New motion pictures will conclude one of the best bills of the season.

Engages In Meat Business

Albert Crawford, a brother of Attorney Mark A. Crawford, of this city, has engaged in the meat business in West Clarksfield, O. He will handle an Indianapolis, Ind., firm's line of meats, and as he is a hustler, will no doubt make a success of his venture.

Dr. Wm. Sadler, author of "The Cause and Cure of Colds," says that common colds should be taken seriously, especially when they "hang on." Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is a reliable household medicine for coughs and colds, equally effective for children and for grown persons. Take it when you feel a cold coming on. It will avert danger of serious results and cure quickly. Mrs. N. C. Young, Pesgah, Ga., says: "Foley's Honey and Tar Compound completely cleared my throat and cured my cold. For sale by The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy. adv

Plotted To Rob

Two strangers in Al. Bradshaw's Chillicothe street saloon were overheard plotting to rob a business place on Chillicothe street, Friday night. After the saloon was closed the strangers were kept under surveillance by the police, but the men made no effort to pull off a deal.

"Spirits" Play on Organ Say Hilltop Residents

Hill-Top residents are all agog, and the more superstitiously inclined are greatly agitated over the mysterious automatic playing of an old family organ at the home of Charles C. Terrell, of No. 1401 High street.

Mr. Terrell, who is a carpenter employed with Contractor Henry Cook, and at present working on the new Brunner building, had just started to light the candles on the Christmas tree at his home for the pleasure of his children on Christmas night, when suddenly the organ began playing, though no one was touching the keys. Mr. Terrell laughed, as he suspected somebody was playing a trick on him. The music continued and he called in his wife. She urged him to go outside and investigate, but he concluded to rather lay low so as not to give any satisfaction to the supposed practical jokers. Finally Mrs. Terrell became so insistent that to please her he did go out and walked all around the house. There was no sign of any person and the next door neighbors were gone.

"It must be right in this room," said Mrs. Terrell. The husband, himself, began taking a more serious view of it, and he went to the home of Milton H. Monroe and wife. They were entertaining some company, but going to the kitchen door he related the strange occurrence to Mrs. Monroe, who is a warm friend of the family. She accompanied him home and after listening to the music for a few minutes, hurried back and invited Mrs. Haney and daughter, who were her guests, to go with her to the Terrell home. Mr. Monroe was the last to come. The organ continued playing louder and louder.

Both Mr. Terrell and Mr. Monroe pressed down and lifted up the various keys without creating the slightest sound, but the music from the other unknown source continued. Mr. Monroe then sat down and began pumping the organ and it played, but as soon as he removed his feet and allowed the air to go out his music stopped, while the other continued. The men present then moved the organ to the middle of the floor and took apart the front and back, but the music continued unabated. In all it had played twenty-five minutes. Some of the women present were crying, fearing that the music was an omen of something dreadful to happen. On Thursday evening the organ again began playing. Mr. Terrell hurriedly summoned Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis and other neighbors, but it ceased playing in about five minutes. All told, eight different persons have heard the organ play, besides Mr. Terrell and his immediate family, and none can offer any explanation for it.

SOCIETY LIONS GOT RAW DEAL

A couple of "society lions" who planned to be "way out there" at a dance several nights ago ordered cubs for their guests of the evening. Friends of the two "lions" got next to the fact and countermanded the order for the cubs. When the time arrived for the cubs to convey them to the dance and they did not show up, the victims fell for the fact that they had been duped and are now "laying" to seek revenge on the perpetrators of the trick.

LARGE CROWD WANTED AT S. SCHOOL

The weather man is extremely gracious and accommodating these days. He has predicted fair weather for Sunday, and consequently Charles M. Howland, superintendent of the First Christian Sunday school, is happy. Fair weather means a big attendance, and Supt. Howland is sanguine that the attendance tomorrow will go above the 800 mark. Last Sunday there were 801 present, and they all were treated royally and had a splendid time. They are expected back tomorrow, together with many others.

The lesson tomorrow will be in the nature of a review and many scholars are expected to take part, as they have been thoroughly drilled. Rev. Brooks, as usual, will have charge of the adult class and will have something of importance to impart to his large class, which these days is hovering near the 500 mark.

The Men's Class is "perking" up these days and it will occasion no surprise if 125 are present.

Be there on time, 9 o'clock. The orchestra will render several selections and it is quite likely the male quartet will sing. These two attractions will be well worth the time spent inside the four walls.

NOTICE.

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adv—1t

Telephone Man Fined

Murtaugh Kehoe, deputy inspector of workshops and factories, received word Saturday that Manager Humphries, of the Piketon Home Telephone company, had been fined $50 and costs when arraigned before a Piketon squire on the charge of working his female help overtime.

It seems that Manager Humphries had been warned by Inspector Kehoe some time ago. The telephone man had been using two girls, who were required to work 60 hours each week. The law stipulates that women cannot be employed more than 54 hours a week, when in the employ of a telephone company. Hence the fine which was imposed by the court. Manager Humphries, as soon as sentence was imposed, employed an extra girl and will hereafter conform to the law.

Rumor Of A Wedding

It has been tipped off that a well known barber employed in a Chillicothe street shop, is to be married tonight (Saturday) at Kenova, to a local girl, who is visiting in that city.

Has Resigned.

Leslie Ridenour, who for the past year has been employed as a cutter in a shoe factory in Milwaukee, has resigned and has returned to the River City.

Down Town Agency.

Beginning with January 1 the American Steam Laundry will establish a down-town agency in the Smoke House. They will also retain their agency with Wurster Bros.

New Doctor Is Coming

From an authentic source comes the report that Dr. Tatje, a Columbus physician, is to locate in this city. An effort is being made to engage a suite of rooms in the new First National Bank building. Dr. Tatje is a brother of Mrs. M. J. Caldwell, of Wakefield.

Bankruptcy Case.

A hearing of the Taylor-Brown bankruptcy case is to be heard in Referee Mark A. Crawford's office January 11, to consider matters pending and not yet disposed of. The applications for the compiling of claims by J. S. Cross; for the allowance of attorneys' fees, and, by the receiver, for compensations, are to be heard.

Will Declare Dividends.

In the Evans bankruptcy case, general merchants of Blue Creek, the trustee, George H. Bratten has converted all the assets into money with the exception of the open accounts. Dividends will soon be declared for the benefit of the creditors.

Will Keep Roomers.

James Raney, who bought the Arlington hotel from Joe Reider, expects to keep roomers only. Mr. Raney was formerly a school teacher and farmer-merchant at Carter City, Ky.

How About It, Les?

Rumor has it that the matrimonial bee is buzzing in Les Herzog's ears and that the young Second street postcard merchant will soon become a benedict.

CALVERT MAY BE MILLIONAIRE

Thomas Calvert, proprietor of the Summit Lawn dairy, expects to go to St. Louis on January 6, where the Calvert heirs will hold a meeting. Mr. Calvert, according to information received lately, is one of the heirs to the land on which the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., is builded. He believes that he stands a fair chance to secure his part of the estate. Mr. Calvert stated Saturday that he had refused an offer of $25,000 for his share, being confident that the land will be allotted to the rightful heirs, in which event he will be a full, blown-in-the-bottle millionaire.

Meeting For The Men Only

A meeting for men will be held Sunday afternoon, at 4 p. m., at the Y. M. C. A. Rev. C. S. Brooks, pastor of the First Christian church, will talk on "What Hast Thou Done?" All men are invited.

From South Dakota.

John Massar, a lumberman of Arlington, South Dakota, formerly of Jackson county, Ohio, is visiting his old friend, John Zeisler, Sr., of Glover street. It is his first visit in Ohio since going to the Northwest 26 years ago. Mr. Zeisler is able to be about again after a severe attack of bronchitis.

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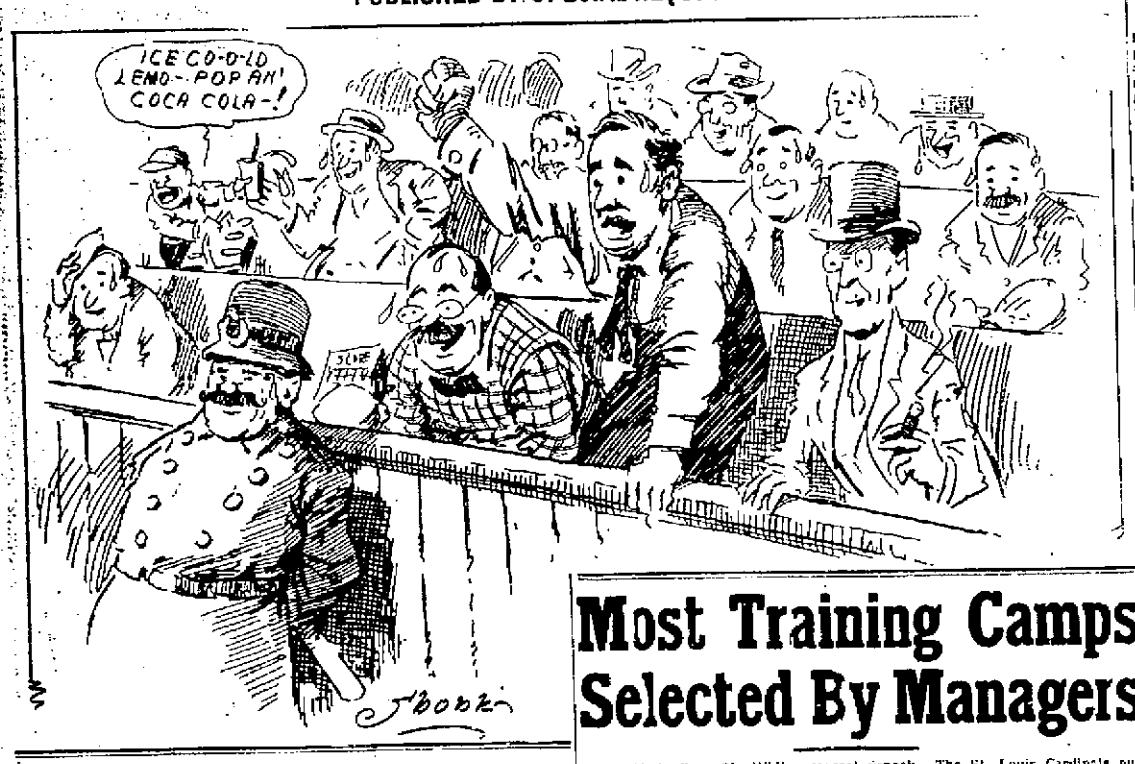

Batters Confidence Rattles The Pitcher

Probably nothing is more disconcerting to a pitcher than the attitude at the bat of persons like Tris Speaker, Ty Cobb and Heinie Zimmerman. Heinie handles his bat as if it were a tall toothpick. Cobb and Speaker, when their turns are coming, set as if they could hardly wait, and their every move exudes confidence. Although men of the Shotte and Lajoie types may be fully as dangerous in a pinch, they don't frighten a hurler half to death by their displays of eagerness and "freshness."

Speaker is one of the most exasperating of swatsmen. Probably Christy Mathewson would have liked to shoot "Spoke's" head off in that last world's series game. With the Sox one run behind, Engle on second, Yerkes on first and one out in the tenth inning, Tris popped up his now famous foul, which was allowed to fall to the ground through a misunderstanding. Speaker, not knowing at first whether it was foul or fair, started running toward first base. He stopped half way when he saw where the ball was going to light. Molly had loped over to the vicinity of the coacher's box to threat the catching of the ball. After the fiasco he started sadly on his way back to his position. Speaker, going to the plate for another effort, passed him.

"Pretty lucky that time, Matty," he said. "I'm going to bust the next one."

Now, Spoke didn't mean that he himself was lucky. He wanted to convey to Christy the impression that he, Speaker, should have cracked that ball out of the lot and that the foul was a mistake that wouldn't be repeated. No outburst of curses or maledictions could have stung Matty at that moment half as much as the charge, "lucky." If Mathewson was lucky that day Jack Pfiester's a right-handed third baseman.

Speaker resumed his place at bat, swung his stick viciously and awaited the next delivery with a tantalizing smile. The ball came over, he "busted" it and the score was a tie.

In the tense moments that followed with Yerkes on third, Speaker at second, Lewis on first, where a walk had placed him, and Gardner up, Tris behaved like a wild man. He was sane enough not to take much of a lead, for his run meant absolutel nothing, but he performed dances and emitted sounds that must have filled the hearts of Matty, Herzog and Doyle with an intense hatred. Perhaps his exuberant spirits had no effect on the faltering opposition. Perhaps they did. Anyhow, confidence like his, Cobb's or Zim's never hurt athe men possessing it nor the team to which these men belong.

Griff Says Archer Is Great Thrower

Jimmy Archer is considered by many managers to be the most wonderful throwing catcher seen in the American game for many, many years. But if tabulations were kept on the different receivers in their pegging to second and third and the number of men each one caught, Jimmy would probably not stand highest in the National league. This is because he doesn't get so many chances as other catchers.

It so happens that Clark Griffith is the best newspaper man's manager in the major leagues. There are other managers whose skill lands their clubs higher in the races, but there is none who knows what really interests the fans so much and gives it to the scribes as the "Old Fox."

Griffith says Archer is the king bee of the catchers. He has watched Jimmy's pegging and has doped it out that more than 90 per cent of his throws catch runners. Wherefore he issued a mandate that none of his players on the Cincinnati club during the season of 1910 and 1911 should try to steal when Archer was receiving for the Cubs. At the start of 1912 this order was given to the Reds. Robert Bescher of London, Ont., one of the redeyed warriors and the best pilferer of bases in the older circuit, was included in the list. In fact, Griffith went into a detailed discussion with Bescher about the former Tiger's throwing abilities.

Of course, "Bobby de Death," as the mighty outfielder of the Reds is known in Porktown, did not believe his leader was right. He tried to steal several times during the earlier weeks of the year on Archer and always came to grief. Finally he had to acknowledge the value of that wing, and ever after that he would make bluffs to steal, but always dodged back to the bag.

The great value of Archer to the Cubs, therefore, can easily be seen. He doesn't have to call for many waste balls. The twirlers just shoot them over and feel safe. It doesn't matter to Jimmy where the ball comes. He can peg them just as quick whether they are in the groove or shooting offerings. To the ordinary fan this doesn't seem so much of a difference, but to a player—and especially a pitcher who perhaps is a wild heaver in the box—it is a wonderful advantage.

Chance took Archer after Jennings had turned him down. Chance allowed him to receive the pitching stars while in his famous crouch, which, by the way, was the principal thing Jennings said he held against him.

Miller Huggins is said to have offered the Cubs $4,000 for Jimmy Sheckard, the veteran outfielder of Johnny Evers' machine. The Cardinal leader refused to agree to a trade whereby he would give Pitcher Herron for Sheckard.

Roy Miller, Mike Doolan and "Gavy" Cravath are the three outfielders who will fight for the job of laying right field for the Phillies next season.

Bonny Meyers, the outfielder secured by Brooklyn from the Toronto club in exchange for Bob Northen, announces he will spot Bescher at the request of his brother and go into the stock raising business with his father in the West. Pleasant news for Charley Ebbetts.

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OLD-TIME BOXER DIES.

Boston, Dec. 28.—"Patsy" Sharpard, who, as a lightweight, was one of the stars of the prize ring years ago, died Friday at his home here, aged 65 years. From 1861 to 1874 he fought nearly all the notable boxers in England and this country. Later he was one of the trainers and backers of John L. Sullivan.

Phone Oakes, A-343, for feed. adv—11-tf

Most Training Camps Selected By Managers

New York, Dec. 28.—While several major league clubs have not selected spring training quarters, most of the clubs already have settled this important point. The Giants, as usual, will go to Marlin Springs, Tex., and there seems to be no doubt that the Highlanders will fit themselves in Bermuda. The White Sox are going to Paso Robles Hot Springs in California, a delightful health resort. The Boston Red Sox and the Pittsburgs are booked again for Hot Springs, Ark. The Cleveland Naps will prepare at Pensacola, Fla., and the Cincinnati Reds at Mobile. The Athletics will train in San Antonio, while the Chicago Cubs probably will visit Tampa or St. Augustine, Fla. The Boston Nationals will get ready at Savannah. The St. Louis Cardinals and Browns will train near the Mound City. The Brooklyns have not decided yet where they will go, but it is said that towns in Georgia and Texas have the call.

McGraw Issues Call.

Manager McGraw is preparing a formal notice to be sent to all of the Giants' oung players telling them to report at Marlin Springs on February 15. McGraw will be there to receive them. In teh lot will be Demaree, Doulait Shore, Perryman, Robertson, Hanley, Burns, Stock, Groh, Hartley, Jacobson and severa lothers. The regulars will report to Wilbur Robertson in St. Louis about February 26, so that they can proceed in a body to the camp.

If Rube Pulled Carruthers' Stunt, Would Boss Weaken?

When Rube Marquard vows he will quit baseball unless he gets $10,000 nobody believes him. When B. de Marquis allows he will travel to Paris with himself and his troupe it sounds still funnier. Yet, holdouts have made their clubs come across and even the Parisian stunt was pulled by Bobby Carruthers.

Carruthers held out on St. Louis for $5,000 in the good old days when star pitchers thought they were lucky to get $1,200 in real money.

When Von der Ahe received Carruthers' letter he nearly had an attack of apoplexy.

"Five thousand dollars?" yelled Chris. "Why, I never saw that much money in one lump sum."

"But Carruthers says he'll go to Paris if we don't pay him that amount," growled Charley Comiskey.

"Why, there is no ball club over there," replied Chris with a merry haw, haw. "Bismarck put that place on the 'bum.' Let him go there if he wants."

But the Browns could not get along without Carruthers. One month after the season opened the club was in the rush, and Chris wasn't taking in enough money to pay the gatekeepers.

"Cable Carruthers to come home; I'll give him $5,000," hollowed Chris one day after counting up the gate, which totaled $10.

"Parisian" Bob's return created a commotion in St. Louis and all over the American association circuit. He pitched the Browns into first place, and Von der Ahe was happy once more.

Marquard is trying to work the same game on the New York club. You just can't beat a star ball player. J. T. Brush permitted a difference of $2,000 between him and Mike Donlin to cost the New York club the pennant in 1908 and more than $100,000 in profits.

Walter Johnson made Washington come to time last year; Bill Sweeney whipped the Yankees into line last season and Bob Harmon and Bill Steele lined the Cards come across last spring. Even Roger Bresnahan, who is usually with the ball player, tried to whip Harmon and Steele into line, but they sawed wood and said nothing, and the day before the campaign opened Roger had to sign the pair at their own terms.

Fans Are Fickle

New York, Dec. 23.—"I see that the averages of the National league give me three home runs," said Arthur Wilson, second catcher of the New York Giants, who is spending the winter at his home.

"It is a curious fact," he continued, "that all three won games for the team. One of these drives came about the most remarkable game of my career. We were at home, playing Brooklyn, and as it was Sunday there were 30,000 persons present.

"At the beginning of the seventh the score was a tie and McGraw sent me in to relieve Chief Meyers behind the bat. There was no chance in the score until the ninth, when Brooklyn got men on third and second.

"Suddenly the man on third made a dash for the plate. Jeff Pfeffer, who was pitching for us, lobbed me the ball and the runner started back to third. I ran down the base line after him and should have caught him by an easy throw to Third Baseman Herzog.

"I threw the ball all right, but it went to the outfield, and the runner scored what looked like the winning run. As I walked to the bench I got a severe pasting from the fans. Their howls shook the stands.

"I was rotten, a lush leaguer, and a boneheed throw. In our half Groh singled with one out. I was next up and supposed that McGraw would send someone to bat for me and then show me up right. But he said nothing and I went to the plate.

"Rucker was pitching for Brooklyn. The first one he threw was a bit wide, and I passed it a mile. The fans sent up a deafening roar.

"I was expecting the next ball to be a curve, but Rucker sent it straight across the plate. I connected squarely and the ball shot off on a straight line for the left field bleachers.

"As I was rounding first I saw it fly into the upper tier. I ran as fast as I could and overtook Groh between second and third.

"Hurry up!" I said.

"What's the use?" he said. "It's a home run."

"And that's what it was. As I trotted across the plate a mighty cheer went up from the stands and an army of fans jumped over the railings and they fairly swarmed about me.

"I was picked up and carried to the clubhouse. In the mixup my uniform was almost torn off. As I was carried along on the shoulders of a husky rooter the thought occurred to me, How fickle were the fans.

"McGraw came up as I was changing my clothes.

"'Well,' he said, 'I guess you'll get so you can make that play at third after a while.'

"That was all he said, making no mention of the home run. But that's McGraw's style.

"If I had not redeemed myself he would have cheered me and told me not to be discouraged. As I got by he saw a fine chance to hand me something. He's great stuff."

GANDIL SAYS LOSS OF TONSILS HELPS HIS BATTING EYE.

Chick Gandil writes to Washington that since having his tonsils removed he has gained weight and strength and finds his eyesight is much better. He figures out the latter from the success he has had in shooting game around his home at Shreveport. Some six of the Washington players had their tonsils removed. If all have such beneficial results it will be a hard proposition to head them off next year. In the interests of a close race in the American next year it is to be hoped they won't take away any of Walter Johnson's "departments" by the surgeon's knife. He's had enough as it is.

Billy Papke claims he made close to $10,000 in his two fights with George Carpentier and Bernard at Paris. The Kewanee boy certainly has prospered in the lemon business while abroad.

How Manager Mack Disciplined Bender

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 28.—Big Chief Bender has asked Connie Mack to please forgive him and promises to be a good Indian in the future. The famous pitcher of the Athletics fell from grace last summer, also from the water wagon.

The climax was reached when the Athletics played at New York last fall in the final series.

The Last Straw.

Bender came to the park in a boisterous mood. He didn't care whether school kept or not, and he wasn't a bit afraid when he saw the solemn faced Mack entering the dressing room. Bender had been that way before and Mack had quietly passed him by. But Bender's condition that day was the last straw. Mack actually lost his temper. He slapped on a $250 fine, suspended the Big Chief for the rest of the season without pay and ordered him to take the earliest possible train for Philadelphia.

Bender was dumbfounded when he heard Mack impose this sentence and left town abruptly. He took a brace almost instantly and reported at Shibe park for daily practice, hoping that Mack would relent. But the Athletics' manager refused to even look at Bender, who went home at the end of the season wondering whether he would be traded or not.

Mack's Smile Returns.

Stories to the effect that Mack intended to send the Big Chief to the minors soon reached the pitcher's ears. He couldn't believe them, yet he worried. He wrote several letters to Mack and received no response. But one da Bender decided to place himself on record. He wrote another letter to the tall manager in which he declared that he had taken the pledge and would work his arm off if Mack would give him just one more chance. When Mack received this missive he smiled. It was just what he had been waiting for. He sent word to the Indian that he would be expected to report in first-class condition at the spring training camp and that his retention by the Athletics would depend entirely upon his work in the box.

PUT ONE OVER ON RUBE WADDELL

While in a fanning bee Thursday evening Harry Hinchman of the Pennant pool parlor, told this one that he pulled off on Rube Waddell:

"We were playing a game in St. Paul and Rube Waddell was pitching against our club. He was enamored of a young woman, whom he tried to single out in the big pavilion, but was unsuccessful," said Harry.

"The score was 1 to 0 in our favor in the ninth. Waddell, a lamentably weak hitter, thumbed a two-bagger into short right. When he wandered away from the bag four feet I saw a chance to nip him flatfooted. I stepped over to our pitcher and told him what I was going to do and he was, of course, in on the play. When I returned to my regular position I walked over to Waddell and said: 'Say, Rube, that swell dame you are looking for is in section B, near the top. Can't you see her from here?' As the Rube strained his eyes to get a glimpse of the woman with whom he was infatuated and who was not in the grandstand that day, I stealthily sneaked back to second, received the pitcher's perfect throw and touched Waddell out four feet from the bag. The next two batters filed out and we won the game and perhaps on this clever ruse," said Hinchman.

"But Waddell certainly called me and for several weeks he swore he would shoot me. And this was not a funny feeling, if you knew the eccentricities of Waddell, who when right has no peer as a southpaw."

BRESNAHAN TO BE CUB

Chicago, Dec. 28.—After a long distance telephone conversation with Roger Bresnahan today, President Murphy of the Chicago Nationals, said he was certain the former St. Louis manager would be with the Chicago Cubs next year.

Murphy refused to say what offer he had made Bresnahan, but it was understood he told the catcher-manager he would give him a bonus of $10,000 for his signature and $6,500 a year. Bresnahan is free to sign with any National league club, as he was discharged by Mrs. Helen Britton, owner of the St. Louis Cardinals. Cincinnati and Pittsburg have been trying to sign him.

ABE ATTELL IS NOW PILOT OF WHITE HOPE.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—Abe Attell, pilot of a "white hope."

That's the new title the former lightweight champion expects to be wearing a few days. Abe stopped off in Chicago on his way to San Francisco and had a long talk with Jess Willard, a "hope" from Kansas, on the subject of managing him. They agreed to terms and will be ready for team work in a few days.

Willard, who holds a decision over Luther McCarty, he scamed surprise by his work in a gymnasium here in the last week. Jim Flynn looked him over and pronounced him a good man. Willard is almost six feet six inches tall and weighs 215 pounds.

Attell will go from here to the bedside of his mother, who is seriously ill.

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FIGHT GOSSIP

Billy Nolan, manager of Willie Ritchie is willing to match his lightweight champion with Welgast, Rivers and McFarland. Welgast comes first on Nolan's list because the latter believes he would be the easiest of the three for Ritchie to beat.

Tommy Gavigan, the Cleveland middleweight, who has been showing good form in recent battles, will try conclusions with George Clip at Pittsburg in a six-round bout on the night of January 4.

Gus Christie, the Milwaukee boxer, is going after Eddie McGoorty if he succeeds in winning or getting a draw in his New Year day's bout with Jack Dillon at Indianapolis. Dillon has two hard-fought victories over Christie and is likely to win decisively in their next meeting.

Members of the Independent Order of Foresters should pay their dues to Elmore Bickel, 814 Eighth street. Elmore Bickel. adv—20-3t

Moved Family To Portsmouth

A. J. McFarland, the new general superintendent of the Portsmouth Steel Company, has moved his family here from Wheeling, W. Va., and they are now occupying a home on Hutchins avenue. Mr. McFarland is proving a very capable official.

Cataract Removed.

John Neeller, of Carey's Run, had a cataract successfully removed from his left eye Friday by Dr. Rapp, of the West Side, and Dr. Mylinger, whose offices are in the First National Bank building.

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"The White Squaw", January 1 (matinee and night.)

Lyman H. Howe's pictures, January 3 and 4.

"Bought and Paid For", January 13.

Henrietta Crosman, January 15.

"Modern Eve", January 17.

"The Western Girl," January 18 (matinee and night.)

"The White Squaw"

"The White Squaw" which will be the offering at the Grand on New Year's Day is said to be a play of America for Americans. There is not a jarring note in it; the story is told in a straight-forward, happy and convincing way and it is declared that from the rise of the curtain until the final word is spoken there is not a moment but the interest of the audience is held closely to the people and their doings in a little mimic world before the footlights.

Howe's Pictures

Well, it will be here in a few days—the Voyage of Your Dreams, as Lyman H. Howe's Travel Festival is coming to the Grand on Friday and Saturday, January 3 and 4.

Dynamiting a mountain; the amazing daring of structural ironworkers on the dizzy heights of sky-scrapers overlooking Broadway, New York; a race for life by three panic-stricken refugees, pursued by infuriated lions, are a few of the features of a thrilling nature which are included in the new program. A ride through the Niagara Gorge; another through the Simplon tunnel connecting Italy and Switzerland; a pictorial excursion through quaint Holland; a visit to the Milan Cathedral, to La Granja—the summer residence of the King of Spain—and to a model American Military Academy at Culver, Indiana, showing the student's life, activities, sports, etc., during his entire career from a raw recruit to graduation day; and bird studies, in the exact hues of nature, Paris fashions, jelly fish of the Mediterranean, and the clever Oriental methods of trapping monkeys are only a f wof the other subjects of surpassing charm and interest to be presented on the forthcoming engagement.

"Modern Eve"

There is probably no better known or better liked personality in musical comedy than Frank Deshon, the clever comedian who will be seen in the cast of Mort H. Singer's Berlin musical success, "A Modern Eve", which comes to the Grand for an engagement on January 17. The cast includes Georgie Drew Mendum, Bertee Beaumont, Ruth Peebles, Frederic Santley, Lee Johnstone, William Kent and Carl Stall. The entire production of "A Modern Eve", exactly as seen during its two hundred and fifty performance run in Chicago will be presented.

"The Yellow Jacket" continues in popular favor in New York and Roy Gordon will remain there until well into the summer. The Japanese play is one of the genuine hits of the season.

"Officer 666" is earning lots of money for its producers, Cohan and Harris and its author, Augustin MacHugh. The latter was three years writing the comedy and was almost as long getting some one to put it on. Many of the big producing firms passed it up in a hurry. But little Georgie Cohan saw its intrinsic worth and put on the play and it was an instantaneous hit. You can never tell.

Frank Deshon, diminutive Frank, who will be seen in "Modern Eve" in the leading comedy role, is no stranger in local theatrical circles. He was seen here several times in "Miss Bob White" and later in "The Office Boy". He is not much larger than a cup of cold tea and one wonders how funny he would be were he in the heavy-weight class. He is a clever little rascal and has a fine role in his new musical comedy.

"Bought and Paid For" which is at the Grand on Monday, Jan. 13 is playing a two weeks' engagement in Cincinnati. This should be a sufficient guarantee of its worth. Any play that can draw big audiences for two weeks in Cincinnati should tax the capacity of the Grand for one night. So say we all.

Maud Adams is again playing in "Peter Pan" in New York. Play goers there never seem to tire of Barrie's fanciful and whimsical play founded on "The boy that never grew up."

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The music for the morning will be:

Quartet, "There Shall Be Night No More"—Fearis"—Miss Berry, Mr. Boyd, Mrs. Storck, Mr. Schwartz.

Solo—Selected—Miss Berry.

At the evening service the choir will repeat several numbers from the Christmas oratorio, "Star of the East," in a half hour's musical program. The Soloists—Mrs. Lynn, Mrs. Storck, Miss Berry, Miss Appel, Miss Routinger, Mr. Wilson and Mr. Boyd.

Rev. Fischer will again give a brief talk in the evening. To all these services the public is given a cordial invitation.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Charles S. Robertson, Pastor

Bible school at 9, W. W. Gates, Jr., Supt. 67 present every Sunday last year. Let us make it at least 100 perfect in attendance next year. Worship by families at 10:30, with a New Year sermon on the theme, "The Moral Effect of Ignorance of the Future."

In the evening, at 7, the concluding sermon on "The Family" series, with the special subject, "The Wife."

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Sunday school at 8:45 a. m.
Morning service at 10 o'clock.
Anthem, "Glory Be to God"—Choir.
Song, "Hark the Host of Heaven Sings"—Mr. J. A. Burkel.
Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m.
Evening service at 7 o'clock.
Anthem, "There Were Shepherds"—Choir.
Song—Mrs. Matthews.
Prayer meeting Wednesday, at 7:15 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to those who do not worship elsewhere to join us in Christian fellowship. The sermon on Sunday evening will be particularly for young men and maidens.

GERMAN METHODIST
F. J. Baumann, Pastor.

Sunday school at 8:45 a. m. Prizes will be awarded to those scholars who were perfect in attendance during the last year.

German services at 10 a. m. Subject of sermon, "Broken Altars."

Miss Emma Fritz will have charge of the Epworth League service at 6:15 p. m. Evening services at 7 o'clock. The pastor will conclude his series of sermons on the letters to the seven churches, the subject being "Laodicea: The Lukewarm Church." Next Wednesday being New Year's Day, there will be a special service in the evening at 7 o'clock, to which all are earnestly invited.

MANLY M. E. CHURCH
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Sunday school at 9:30, Philip Pfarr, superintendent.

Morning service at 10:30. Subject, "The Three That Were Called, But Refused." Junior Intermediate League at 1:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6. Evening service at 7. Subject, "Life's Web and It's Weaver."

TRINITY METHODIST
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Rev. Herbert Scott, Pastor

Sunday school at 9 a. m., Mr. W. B. Anderson, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:30 o'clock. Subject "Yesterday, Today and Forever." Junior League at 2 p. m. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Evening worship at 7 o'clock. Subject "Christian Culture." Those not connected with other churches are cordially invited to any or all of these services. We have a home-like church.

BIGELOW M. E. CHURCH
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Rev. Alfred F. Hughes, Pastor

Rev. Alfred Shultz John Ludlum Sunday school at 9 o'clock, Dr. E. C. Jackson, Supt. This being the last Sunday of the most successful quarter in the history of the school, it is hoped that all members of the church will be present. At the morning service the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered by District Superintendent L. L. Magee. Junior League at 2. Class meeting and Epworth League at 6. The pastor will lead the Epworth League service. Evening worship at 7, with sermon by Rev. L. L. Magee. All persons not attending elsewhere are cordially invited to all these services.

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Evensong and sermon at 7 p. m.

Special Christmas music by choir at both services. The music in the morning will be that used at the midnight eucharist on Christmas eve.

The girls of St. Mary Magdalene's Guild will sing at the evening service. The rector will preach a special sermon suitable to the season at the evening service. All the beautiful decorations are still in place.

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BIBLE CLASSES

Mrs. Bowman's Bible Study classes will meet next week as follows:

Monday, 2 p. m., Manly church, Old Testament.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., Second Presbyterian church, Personal Work.

Wednesday, 2 p. m., Second Presbyterian church, Old Testament.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Old Testament. Business Girls' class meets at Mrs. Bowman's residence, 941 Second street.

Friday, 7:30 p. m., Trinity church, study of Sunday school lesson.

Sunday at 3 p. m., Second Presbyterian church, New Testament. Class beginning Jan. 5. Signed:
ROSA E. WENDELKEN, Sec'y.

UNITED BRETHREN
Corner Seventh and Gay Sts.
L. J. Hopper, Pastor

Sunday school at 9 a. m., Isaac Thompson, superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:30 o'clock. Subject, "Jehovah, Thy God With Thee"—a New Year sermon.

Junior Christian Endeavor at 2 p. m.

Christian Endeavor at 6 o'clock. Topic, "Missionary Needs and How We May Help to Meet Them."

Evening preaching at 7 o'clock. Subject, "How to Have a Happy New Year."

All are cordially invited to one or all of these services.

FREE BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9 a. m. At 10:15 a. m. Rev. W. J. Sparks, of the Baptist chapel car, will preach. C. E. Meetings at 1:30 and 6:15 p. m. Sermon at 7 p. m. by the pastor. Subject, "What Shall the Burning Be?"

On Monday night the Young People's Missionary Society will meet with Miss Mabel Kena, 1309 Summit street.

Wednesday night prayer meeting at 7 o'clock. At the close of the prayer meeting the monthly business meeting of the church will be held.

Next Thursday afternoon the Women's Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. John Henson, 1312 Timmonds avenue. Mrs. Viola Johnson assisting hostess.

KENDALL AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
F. A. Maier, Pastor

Our Sunday school is always interesting and begins promptly at 9, Supt. Pearl Wells in charge.

The dedicatory services to begin Tuesday evening will be announced at this service.

The pastor will give an interesting talk to the church and school at the close of the lesson study.

The primary department of the Sunday school have their equipment and will meet for the first time in their new room.

The evening service at 7. Subject, "A Record That You Have Much."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Gallia and Waller Streets
T. H. McAfee, Pastor

Bible school at 9 a. m., W. H. Overstreet, superintendent. We desire a full attendance, as it is the last Sunday of the year. The lesson of last Sunday will be taught, instead of review. At 10:30 a. m. the pastor will preach on the theme, "What Shall We Take Into the New Year?"

At 7 o'clock the pastor will resume the lecture on Revelations. At 2 p. m. the Junior B. Y. P. U. will meet. At 6:15 the Senior B. Y. P. U. will meet. All persons are welcome to these services. The strangers in town will find a home-like service here.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Third and Gay

Bible school at 9. This lesson is a review of the great lessons of the past quarter. Come early and hear the orchestra under the fine leadership of Prof. Bode.

The attendance on this last Sunday of the year ought to be above the usual high standard.

Communion service at 10:30, followed by a short sermon by the pastor: "A Retrospect."

Both Christian Endeavor societies meet at six. Come and enjoy one or the other.

Preaching at seven. Subject, "What of the Future?"

The annual business meeting of the church will be held next Wednesday evening.

Detailed reports will be presented covering every department of the church work. Refreshments will be served. This was a notable meeting last year and this one promises to be yet more interesting.

GRANDVIEW AVENUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH
E. G. Hamilton, Minister

Bible school at 9 a. m., John Bridwell, superintendent. The session of the school promises to be an interesting and inspiring one, with a review in the study of The Life of Christ." Communion service at 10:30, with sermon by the pastor, following. The theme of the morning will be "The Voice From the Past."

Evening worship at 7 o'clock, with praise service and sermon by the pastor. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

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PLEASANT GREEN BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL

Rev. J. Howard Jackson, who delivered two excellent sermons last Sunday, will be with us again this Sunday and it is hoped every member will be present at both services. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Evening service as usual.

ALLEN CHAPEL
E. H. Newsome, Pastor.

Sabbath school at 9 o'clock a. m. As this is the last Sabbath in the year, let us have the best attendance at the Sabbath school that we have had this year, and it will be no trouble to begin right in the new year.

Preaching at 10:30 a. m. This Sabbath our first quarterly meeting will be held. Rev. J. W. Gazaway, D. D., presiding elder of the Columbus district, is with us and will preach at each of the services. Dr. Gazaway is an able and efficient minister and presiding elder. Let us have a splendid congregation out at the morning services.

Services at 2:30 p. m. Preaching by Dr. Gazaway and communion service also in the afternoon.

Preaching at 7 p. m. This service will be most interesting to all who will attend at that hour and the choir will be prepared to render at this service several beautiful selections. We extend to all a most cordial welcome to attend these services.

There will be no Christian Endeavor meeting at 6 o'clock on account of the afternoon service, but all Christian Endeavorers will remember that they are expected to be present at the meeting held on the first Sabbath in the new Year.

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Tuesday night, from 7:30 to 8:30, the quarterly conference of the church will be held, following which a two hour social session will be indulged in. Refreshments are to be served during the social session.

NEW YEAR'S EVE SERVICES

Rt. Rev. James J. Hartley, Bishop of Columbus, in a circular letter, calls upon the Catholic clergy of the diocese to arrange for solemn thanksgiving services in their churches on New Year's eve. It is his wish that this old Catholic custom be inaugurated and that it be kept up from year to year. A short sermon suitable to the occasion may be preached, the Te Deum sung by the congregation and the benediction of the blessed sacrament given.

REVIEW DAY ON SUNDAY

Tomorrow will be Review Sunday for the Men's Big Bible Class at Trinity, the last Sunday for the fourth quarter and last of the year. This will be an unusually interesting session, as a review of the preceding lessons always has much of interest for every one. There will be the usual fine musical program, that is always so much enjoyed, and perhaps one or more special numbers.

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Concert Is Postponed

The concert and entertainment, which was to have been given at the Pleasant Green Baptist church on Monday evening, next, has been postponed until Jan. 9.

ARM BROKEN IN TUMBLE

William Haggerty, of East Fifth street, slipped on an icy sidewalk near his home Friday evening and had the misfortune to break his left arm near the elbow. The pain was so great from the injury that Haggerty, who is past 60 years of age, was barely able to reach his home and summon a physician, who reduced the fracture with considerable difficulty as the bone was badly splintered.

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$28.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE $22.45	$12.50 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 9.95	$ 5.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 3.95
$25.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE $19.95	$12.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 9.45	$ 4.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 3.25
$22.50 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE $17.95	$10.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 7.95	$ 3.50 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 2.75
$22.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE $17.45	$ 8.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 6.45	$ 3.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 2.45
$20.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE $15.95	$ 7.50 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 5.95	$ 2.50 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 1.95
$18.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE $14.45	$ 6.50 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 5.25	$ 2.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 1.65
$15.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE $11.95	$ 6.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS, SAVING PRICE ..... $ 4.75	

REMEMBER! that in a sale like this, A SAVING SALE, that it is always the best things that go first, profit by past experience and be among the early ones, and buy while the selection of styles is at the best.

BURT'S FOR THE BEST

W. H. BURT & COMPANY

CHILLICOTHE AND THIRD STREETS

THE MARKETS

Chicago, Ills., Dec. 28.—There has been such small changes in the market situation for the past three weeks that we felt is was useless to send out our usual Saturday evening report, and while there has been no particular change the past week except the very large increase in receipts of both wheat and corn, with the prospect of a continuation, especially after the first of the year.

There is quite a demand among the local milling trade for winter wheat to blend with spring wheat, and the scarcity of winter wheat makes the price at least 20c per bushel higher than spring wheat.

The excellent condition of new corn at the present time is permitting the shipment in its natural state without fear of its heating, and while the farmers are loath to take the prices now offered, being so much lower than they are used to the past four years, still they realize that there is an enormous crop and see nothing in the future to justify their holding, and as a consequence, they are selling a sufficient amount of corn to supply the limited trade.

The markets today all close weaker, and from one to two cents lower than last week on all cereals.

GRAIN MARKET OPENING

Chicago, Ill., Dec., 28—Wheat: Dec., none; May, 91⅜ to 91⅝ and ¼; July, 88½ to ⅝ and ½.

Corn: Dec., 47¼ and ⅛; May, 48⅛ to 48⅛; July, 49.

Oats: Dec., 32¼; May, 32¾ to ⅞ and ¾; July, 34.

CLOSE

Wheat: Dec., 85¾; May, 91⅛; July, 88⅝.

Corn: Dec., 47; May, 48; July, 48⅞.

Oats: Dec., 32⅝; May, 32¾; July, 32⅞.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Dec. 28—The last sale of stocks today was:

Amalgamated Copper, 75⅝.
American Beet Sugar, 48¼.
American Sugar Refining, 117.
Baltimore & Ohio, 104¾.
Chesapeake & Ohio, 78¼.
Illinois Central, 126.
Louisville & Nashville, 141½.
New York Central, 107¾.
Norfolk & Western, 112⅝.
Pennsylvania, 121⅝.
United States Steel, 67.
United States Steel, Preferred, 109⅝.
Western Union, 74¾.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—Hogs: receipts, 23,000; market, slow mixed and butchers, $7.10 to $7.50; good, $7.20 to $7.50; light, $7.05 to $7.40; pigs, $5.25 to $7.20.

Cattle: receipts, 500; market, steady; beeves, $5.70 to $9.50; cows and heifers, $2.75 to $7.50; stockers and feeders, $4.25 to $7.40; calves, $6.50 to $10.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 2,000; market, slow and week; natives, $4.20 to $5.50; lambs, $6.10 to $8.65.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 28.—Cattle: supply, light; market, steady; choice, $9 to $9.25; good, $7 to $8.25; fair, $5.50 to $6.25; veal calves, $11 to $11.50.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, light; market, strong; prime wethers, $4.50 to $4.75; good mixed, $4.10 to $4.40; fair mixed, $3.50 to $4; spring lambs, $5.50 to $8.85.

Hogs: receipts, 15 double; market, active; prime heavy, $7.65 to $7.80; medium, $7.75 to $7.78; heavy porkers, $7.75 to $7.80; light porkers, $7.85 to $7.80; pigs, $7.75 to $7.80.

It will pay you to read in this issue the twenty-second financial statement of The Citizens' Savings & Loan Association Company, and note what this institution has done covering a period of twenty-two years. Never less than a 6 per cent cash dividend has been paid to both depositor and borrower. Have had no losses in all these years. No foreclosures. No bad or undesirable loans. Assets are now $521,370.23, all of which is loaned upon First Mortgage City of Portsmouth Real Estate. Nothing could be safer or better. Withdrawals of money on deposit paid on demand. Loans decreased and interest charge reduced at any time in amounts of $100.00 and upward. Prompt elevator service to our new office, Rooms 21 and 22, second floor, new First National Bank Building. Arthur L. Hamm, Secretary, with Hutchins & Hamm.

MURDERER CAPTURED

(By United Press.)

La Grange, Ind., Dec. 28.—Edward Hart, who shot and killed his wife and her mother at the latter's home early today, was captured four hours later and is now a prisoner in the local county jail.

Mrs. Rena Hart, his wife, 20 years old, from whom he was separated, was awakened by the shot which killed her mother, Mrs. Sarah McBride, as the latter slept. Mrs. Hart was shot while attempting to escape. Their baby, which lay in Mrs. McBride's bed, escaped uninjured.

Mayor At Huntington.

Mayor Fred Tynes of Portsmouth, was a Huntington visitor yesterday. He commented on the rapid and solid growth of Huntington and predicted a great commercial future for the city, says the Huntington Republican.

STAUNTON GREETS PRESIDENT-ELECT

(By United Press.)

Staunton, Va., Dec. 28.—With the music of a dozen bands, the cheers of thousands of people gathered in reunion from all parts of the country, President-elect Woodrow Wilson today stood in a glow of sunshine reviewing a great parade of his fellow-townsmen. It was a tribute to the returning son of Staunton, who came here on his 56th birthday.

Practically the whole town and its guests joined in the parade. Everywhere were flags and bunting.

(By Associated Press.)

Staunton, Va., Dec. 28.—Woodrow Wilson, president-elect of the United States, awoke this morning in the same home and practically the same surroundings as 56 years ago today, when he was born. He had slept in the parsonage of the First Presbyterian church, of which his father, Josh R. Wilson, was pastor more than half a century ago.

(By United Press.)

Staunton, Va., Dec. 28.—Hardly one of the 12,000 inhabitants of the place pretended to do anything today except walk the streets, for the next president was 56 years old today and was spending the day here.

Twenty-five thousand visitors from over the state were on hand. From the moment he arose after spending the night in his birthplace, the Presbyterian manse (Governor Wilson displayed the keenest pleasure in the day's events. He expressed great pleasure when greeted by Frank T. Ware, the old negro servant who toted him around Staunton when he was two years old.

Governor Wilson found time during the day to visit aged Mrs. Elizabeth Kayser, who is suffering from paralysis at a hospital. She has often trotted the coming president on her knee when he was a baby.

Wilson expected to make a speech in the place where he was baptized when an infant, this evening.

HIKERS NEAR ALBANY

(By United Press.)

East Greenwich, N. Y., Dec. 28—Stopping only long enough for a hot lunch the little band of suffragettes, headed by "Corporal" Rosalie Jones, pushed on from here today over the snow crusted road on the last lap of their journey from New York to Albany.

Fifty Albany suffragettes and the whole regiment headed by a brass band will meet them at Albany which they expected to reach late today.

TELEGRAPH CO. ENJOINED RAILROAD

(By Associated Press.)

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 28.—Application for an injunction by the Western Union Telegraph Company to prevent the Louisville and Nashville railroad from removing the telegraph company's equipment, was granted here today in federal court. The injunction applies to the wires along the entire system. The telegraph company will now push its suit to condemn a right of way along the railroad. A contract between the telegraph company and the railroad company expired last August, and the road has been seeking for several months to have the Western Union remove its wires and poles.

EXPLOSION, EIGHT DEAD

(By Associated Press.)

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 28.—Three white men and five negroes were killed and several negroes are missing as the result of an explosion in the shops of the Seaboard Air Line at Hamley, N. C., today. The explosion was caused by turning water into a boiler while it was hot.

To both depositor and borrower, The Citizens' Savings & Loan Association Company offers modern and up-to-date service. Read statement in this issue. A 6 per cent cash dividend for 22 years. Arthur L. Hamm, Secretary, with Hutchins & Hamm.

Admits Murder

(By United Press.)

Trenton, N. J., Dec., 28.—Admitting that he is the man who brutally assaulted Miss Loudla Marshall on a lonely road December 8, causing her death about a week later, William Atzenhafer, 38, this afternoon, said he mistook Miss Marshall for another person and that he was under the influence of liquor when he brutally beat the girl.

SENATOR HUSDSON LIKES NEW SENATE

Senator J. I. Hudson came home Friday evening from Columbus where he had been in attendance at a meeting of the senate committee on patronage, of which he was a member. This committee considered all applications for positions in the senate and decided upon a list which will be recommended to the caucus of all the members to be held next Saturday. The list will not be made public until acted upon by the caucus, Senator Hudson said, but it will undoubtedly be approved.

The senate committee on committees also met Friday and partially agreed upon chairmanships of the more important ones. Senator Hudson will likely be chairman of the committee on roads and highways, which will be unusually important this session and for which the senator is splendidly equipped. He will also likely be on the finance and other leading committees.

Speaking of the personnel of the new senate, Senator Hudson said they were a fine, clean-cut set of gentlemen, mostly young men, and all of them earnest and sincere men, anxious to make a record for fair, progressive legislation.

NEW YEAR MATINEE

As a pleasant innovation for New Year's day, Managers Tynes and Taylor of the Grand Opera House, announce a popular priced matinee, with seats reserved free. The price for adults will be 25 cents and for children 15 cents. No extra charge will be made for reserving. Parents may have seats reserved for their children, adjoining their own seats, for only 15 cents.

The New Years attraction will be "The White Squaw." The night prices will be 25, 50, 75c and $1. The seat sale opens on Tuesday morning.

Portsmouth Couple Wedded At Ironton

Ironton, O., Dec., 28—Mr. John Collins, 21, a reporter on the Daily Blade, at Portsmouth, and Miss Eva Cross, 18, also of Portsmouth, came to Ironton at eight o'clock this morning, secured a marriage license, and were married at 8:30 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Evans. The young couple were accompanied by the bride's grandfather, who was the only witness to the ceremony. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple accompanied their grandfather to his home in Catlettsburg, Ky., where they will spend a few days, after which they will return to their home in Portsmouth.

Mr. Collins is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Collins, of 1616 Seventh street, while the bride is one of the attractive daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cross of 806 Grimes avenue.

The wedding will come as a surprise to the relatives and friends of the young couple as the mother of the bride was not aware of her daughter's marriage until informed by The Times this afternoon. Miss Cross left home this morning for Catlettsburg Ky., with her grandfather, who had come here to spend Christmas and she was joined at the N. & W. station by young Collins and when they reached Ironton they decided to get married.

Blood Humors

Commonly cause pimples, boils, hives, eczema or salt rheum, or some other form of eruption; but sometimes they exist in the system, indicated by feelings of weakness, languor, loss of appetite, or general debility, without causing any breaking out.

They are expelled and the whole system is renovated, strengthened and toned by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolated tablets.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given to holders of stock in the American Drying Machinery Co. that the annual meeting will be held at the office of the company in Portsmouth, O., at 9 a. m., Thursday, January 16, 1913.

American Drying Machinery Co.
adv—Dec 28-Jan 4-11

Members of the Independent Order of Foresters should pay their dues to Elmore Bickel, 514 Eighth street. Elmore Bickel.
adv—26-3t

Back From Kentucky.

Sidney Simon, a Chillicothe street fruit dealer, has returned from a swing through Kentucky, where he succeeded in disposing of a large amount of his wares.

THE BEST RESOLUTION YOU CAN MAKE FOR THE NEW YEARS IS TO RESOLVE TO COME TO OUR STORE FOR EVERYTHING YOU NEED IN HARDWARE, BECAUSE WE SELL THE BEST TOOLS, HARDWARE AND IMPLEMENTS MADE.

WE STAND BEHIND EVERYTHING WE SELL WITH OUR MONEY AND REPUTATION AND MAKE GOOD ON EVERY DEAL.

WE WISH YOU PROSPERITY AND HAPPINESS.

Alex Glockner

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given to the holders of stock in the Portsmouth Engine Co. that the annual meeting will be held at the office of the company in Portsmouth, O., at 9 a. m., Tuesday, January 21, 1913.

W. D. PUCKET, Secy.
adv—Dec 28-Jan 4-11

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given to holders of stock in the New Era Gas Co. that the annual meeting will be held at the office of the company in Portsmouth, O., at 10 a. m., Thursday, January 16, 1913.

L. FRANK MALONE, Secy.
adv—Dec 28-Jan 4-11

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